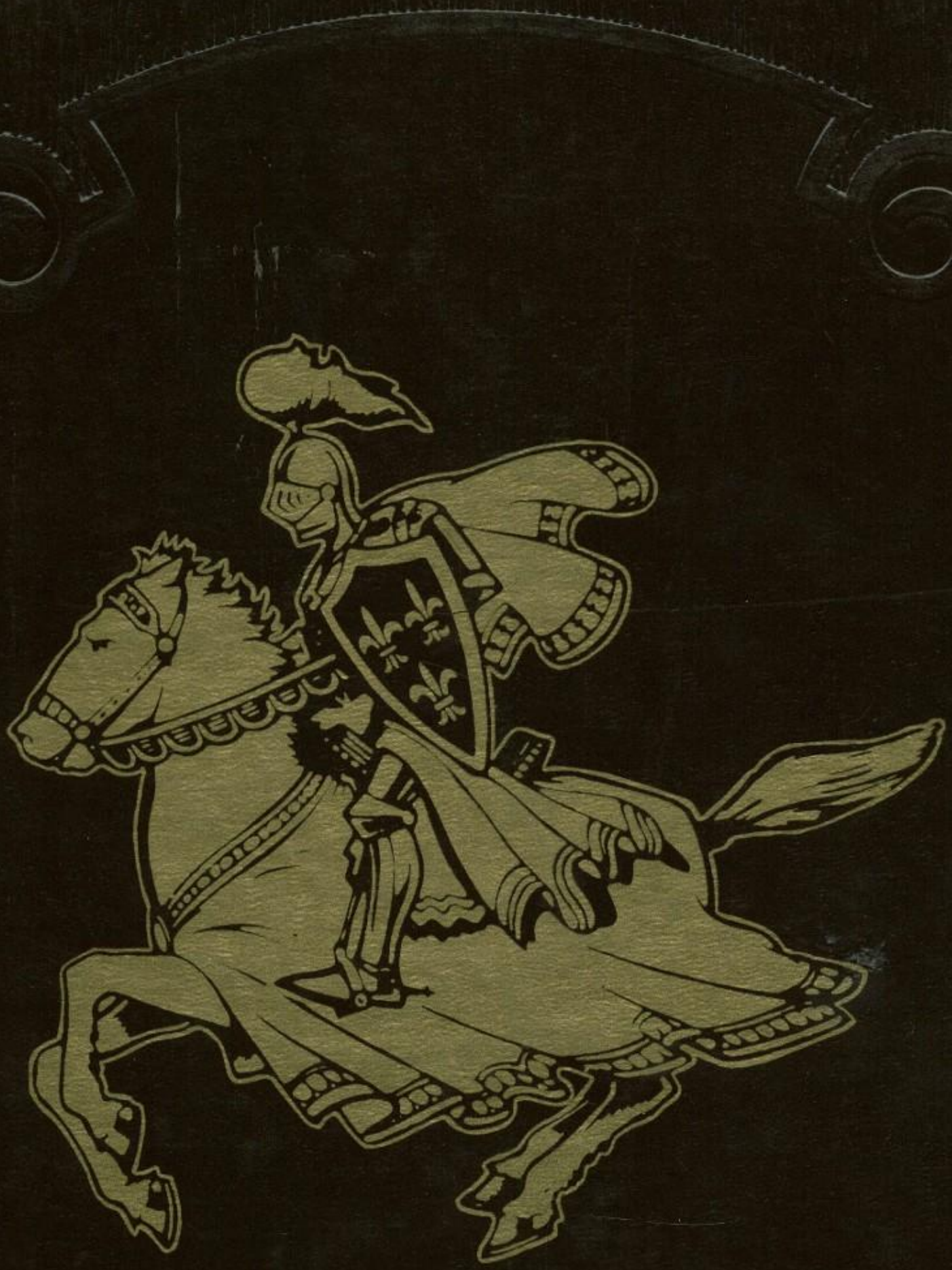

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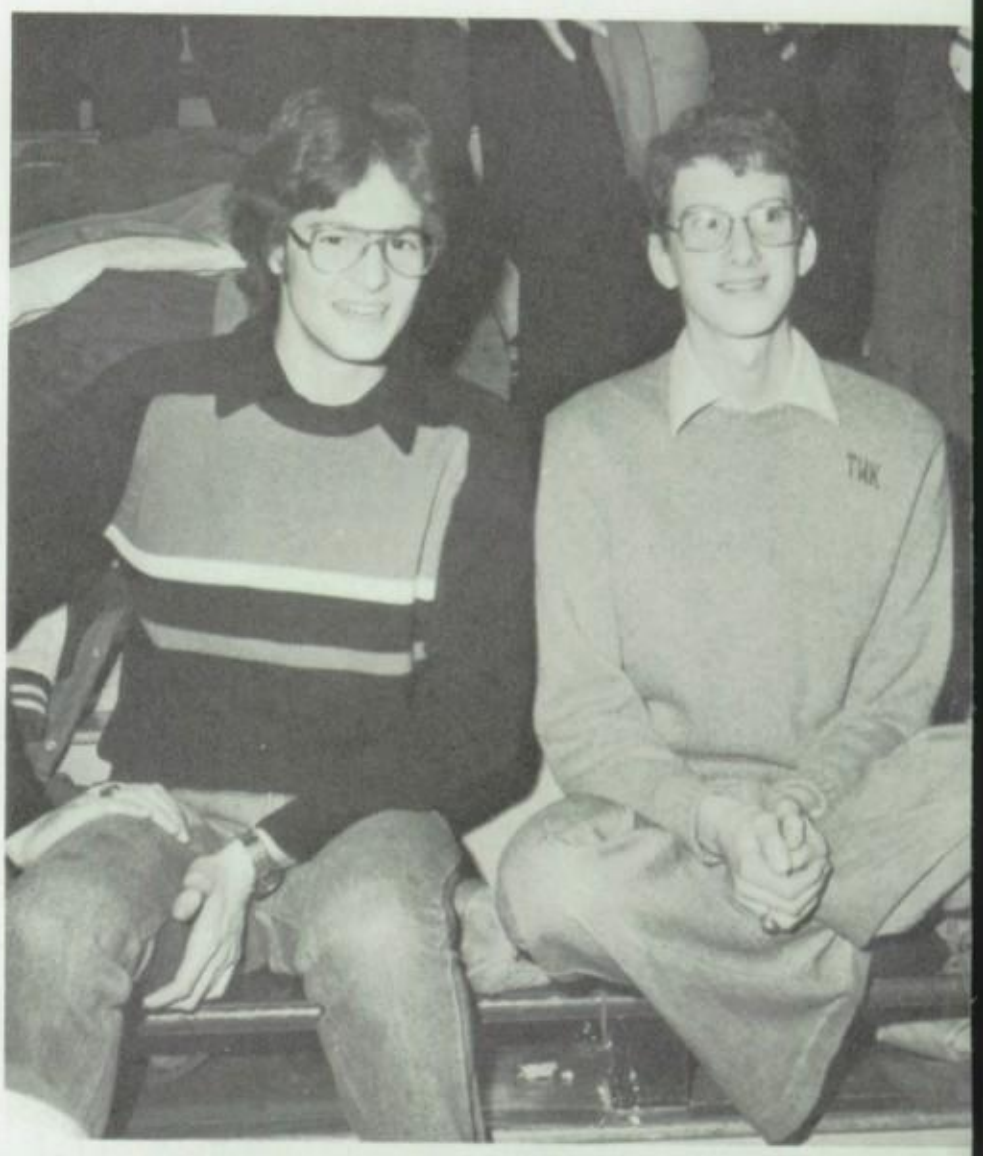


Above and clockwise: The clarinet trio performs at the contest concert. David Huntsman and Tommy Kerrk enjoy watching a wrestling meet. Curtis Hall reads a newspaper in contemporary issues class. Patty Hunziger waves and smiles at the camera.

Below and clockwise: Shelly Derr gives us a smile. Deanna Delp looks on as Lisa Hunziger ties up the phone. Deena Williams flashes a well known stare. Three hippies, Lori Hunziger, Debbie Patterson, and Lisa Boswell, wait for class to begin on hippie day. Tina Elder looks up from her work in clerical procedures class.

To know from where we have come

Above and clockwise: Todd Kunkel plays his trombone solo at the contest concert. Tina Elder and Bev Hurst in the senior concession stand. Sondra Snapp hands out gifts at the Christmas Dance. Sherry Matthews and David Baker share a dance at Homecoming.

Below and clockwise: Amy Fitzmaurice and Lynn Prussman have some punch at a dance. Pat McWilliams gives us a hearty laugh at the Sweetheart Dance. Kelly Kurtz, Deena Williams, and Shelly Derr watch over the senior cake raffle. Terri Slusher leading a cheer at a pep assembly.

Above and clockwise: Jill Glick snickers during one of her classes. Ronnie Greiner, Terri Slusher, and Deena Williams gossip in contempory issues class. A group of senior girls yell during a pep assembly. Shane McWilliams in his female garb reads his lines at the freshman initiation dance.

Below and clockwise: Rick Dozier loads fruit for the Lettermen's Club annual fruit sale. The group of boys that attend Hillyard's Technical School pose for a picture. David Fuller and Jeff Phelan work on a project during art class.

is to have an idea where we are going.

Below and clockwise: Kristin Lark and Rhonda Hunziger tally up stats at a basketball game. Tana Hensley with her "westward bound" bandana at the senior breakfast. A group of students enjoy the festivities at the burning of the effigy before homecoming. Brynda Cotton shows us how to grin.

A person's high school career is filled with many ups and downs, many triumphs and failures, many good and not so good times. But most of all, one's high school career is filled with memories.

It is the goal of the yearbook staff to capture those memories, to save in pictures the events that helped to shape our lives. All of the things that helped us to grow. All of the obstacles we overcame. All of the goals we achieved. All of the things we learned. And all of the experiences that made our years at South Holt what they were.

Let's now enter South Holt High School and look at those goals, those obstacles, those experiences - those memories.

Curtis Hall, Editor

ACTIVITIES

Above and clockwise: The 1981-82 F.H.A. officers pose for a picture. Cheerleaders Joan and Sondra Snapp give us an eyeful. Lesa Polsgrove works on a layout at the ICP yearbook workshop.

Twelve Initiated into National Honor Society

Twelve sleeping, unsuspecting juniors were rudely awakened by senior members of the National Honor Society and taken to school in their pj's and robes. The juniors walked in with half closed eyes and dreamy looks. To bring them back to reality they were led in vigorous calisthenics and then fed breakfast. Juniors thinking it was over after breakfast were wrong. Each senior member chose a junior to be their personal slave for the rest of the day. Members old and new enjoyed this new initiation.

The initiation was not, however, the only activity that was there for enjoying. The National Honor Society took two trips during the year. The latter of the two was a trip to Omaha. There the members visited the zoo and then took a tour through Boy's Town. After their long day of excitement the group ate and relaxed at the Cattle Company restaurant.

Top to bottom: Curtis Hall the president of National Honor Society. The senior members of National Honor Society.

Top to bottom: The new junior members of National Honor Society. Sophomore provisionary members. N.H.S. members boarding the bus that will take them to Omaha for a day of fun.

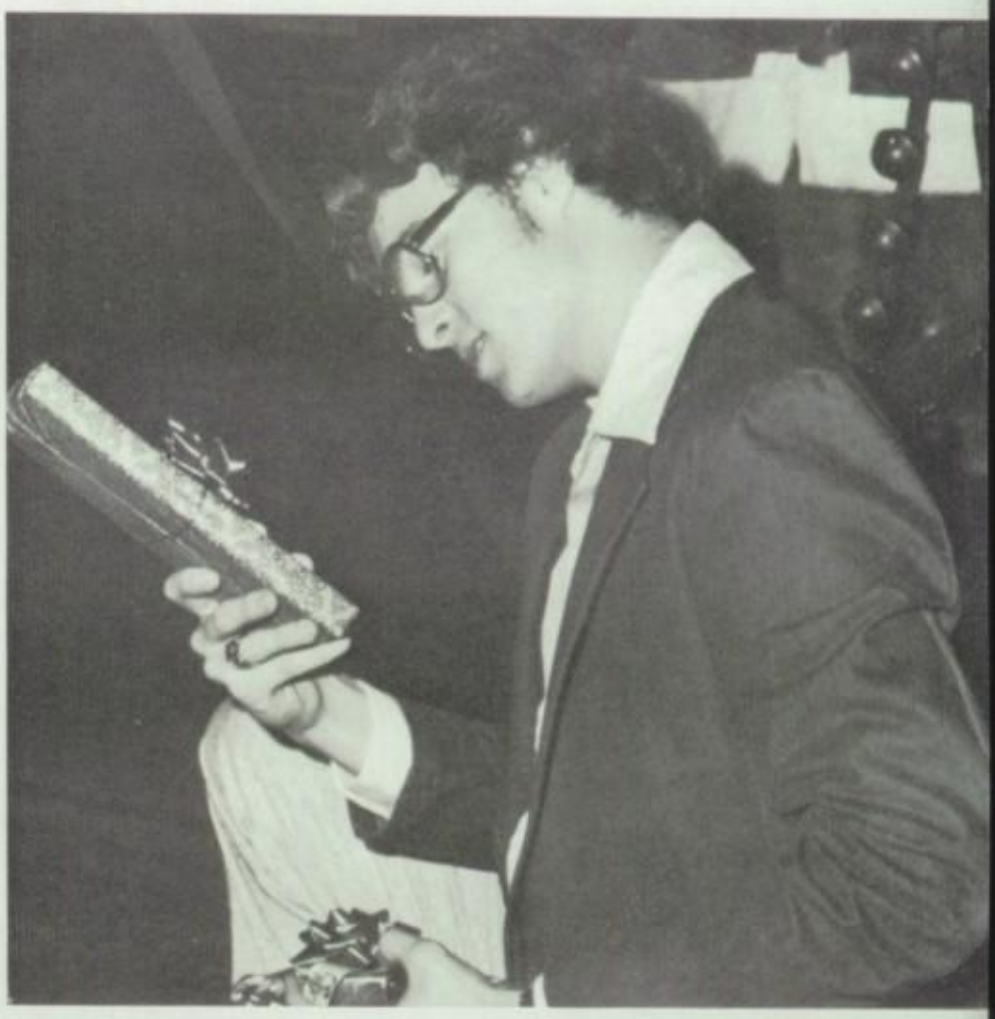
Student Council Has Successful Year

The Student Council, under the direction of President Brandon Cotton and Vice President Deena Williams had a very successful year.

Mr. Albert Atkins was the advisor. The members consisting of Lesa Polsgrove, secretary, Sondra Snapp, treasurer, Lisa Boswell, David Huntsman, Todd Sipes, Russell Slusher, Susie Steeby, and Jeff Cotton worked hard and raised their money through pop and candy sales throughout the year. The money earned went toward buying a new water fountain for the school.

Toward the end of the school year, elections for the 1981-82 President and Vice President was held. Elected President was Lesa Polsgrove and Vice President was Ann Bender.

Below and clockwise: David Huntsman passing out gifts at the Christmas Dance which was sponsored by the Student Council. Pictured below are the members of the 1980-81 Student Council. From left to right is Mr. Atkins, sponsor, Lisa Boswell, Deena Williams, Sondra Snapp, treasurer, Lesa Polsgrove, secretary, and Jeff Cotton. On the back row is David Huntsman, Brandon Cotton, president, Russell Slusher, and Todd Sipes. Not pictured is Susie Steeby. Sondra Snapp, Russell Slusher, and Todd Sipes prepare to decorate the Christmas tree with the colored lights.



Below and clockwise: Deena Williams and Lesa Polsgrove put up the new calendar in the lounge. Brandon Cotton turns over the gavel and the position of President to Lesa Polsgrove who will be the 1981-82 Student Council President. Mr. Atkins, sponsor of the Student Council, collects the money made on pop sales from the machine. Dan Doebbling turns over the gavel to Brandon Cotton who is the Student Council President of the 1980-81 school year.

The 1980-81 F.H.A. officers. Back row: Shelly Derr, treasurer; Joan Snapp, parliamentarian; Pat Hunziger, song and recreation leader; Cheryl Roecker, secretary. Front row: Tina Elder, historian; Debbie Patterson, 1st vice president; Lori Hunziger, president; Beverly Hurst, 2nd vice president; Tracy Stroud, reporter.

Above and clockwise: Mrs. McComb supervises an F.H.A. meeting. The F.H.A. members get ready to begin the meeting. Everyone stands as the meeting begins.

F.H.A. Chapter Obtains 100% Participation at Regional Meeting

The South Holt chapter of the Future Homemakers of America obtained 100% participation at the regional meeting held in Maryville, Missouri. They were rewarded with a plaque.

Other activities of the F.H.A. Chapter included working at concession stands, selling french fries at the football games, and hosting the sweetheart dance.

Below and clockwise: Rhonda Hunziger, Carol Dudeck, and Kristin Lark dress up for red and white day. Lori Hunziger turns the gavel over to Joan Snapp. The F.H.A. officers, chapter mothers, and advisor get ready to board the bus for their trip to Kansas City. Debbie Patterson, Lori Hunziger and Beverly Hurst serve the mothers refreshments at installation.

Above and clockwise: Varsity cheerleaders wear the football players' pajamas at a pep assembly. The 1980-81 varsity cheerleaders are Sondra Snapp, Ann Bender, Tracey Scroggins, Terri Slusher, Rhonda Hunziger, and Joan Snapp. Wrestling cheerleaders lean on three outstanding grapplers, Brandon Cotton, Bradley Kurtz, and Kelly Kurtz. After decorating the school halls with posters for parents night, the wrestling cheerleaders, satisfied with their work, pose for a picture. Homecoming activities brought the varsity cheerleaders out to the burning of the effigy to lead in school cheers and chants.

Cheerleaders Raise School Spirit

The South Holt cheerleaders, sponsored by Miss Glenda Noble, led the student body in cheers and chants throughout the entire school year. The enthusiastic cheerleaders brought back school spirit, which is sometimes forgotten.

Both varsity and wrestling cheerleaders shared pep assemblies prior to games and meets. During the assemblies, coaches and team captains had the opportunity to give pep talks. This gave encouragement and a new excitement to the team members. The cheerleaders always had appropriate cheers corresponding to the sports event taking place that evening. Enthusiasm and raising school spirit were the two goals fulfilled by the cheerleaders.

Below and clockwise: Showing their formation skills at a pep assembly are the varsity cheerleader. The 1980-81 wrestling cheerleaders are Tana Hensley, Lesa Polsgrove, and Michel Hall. Varsity cheerleaders stand ready to begin an enthusiastic cheer.

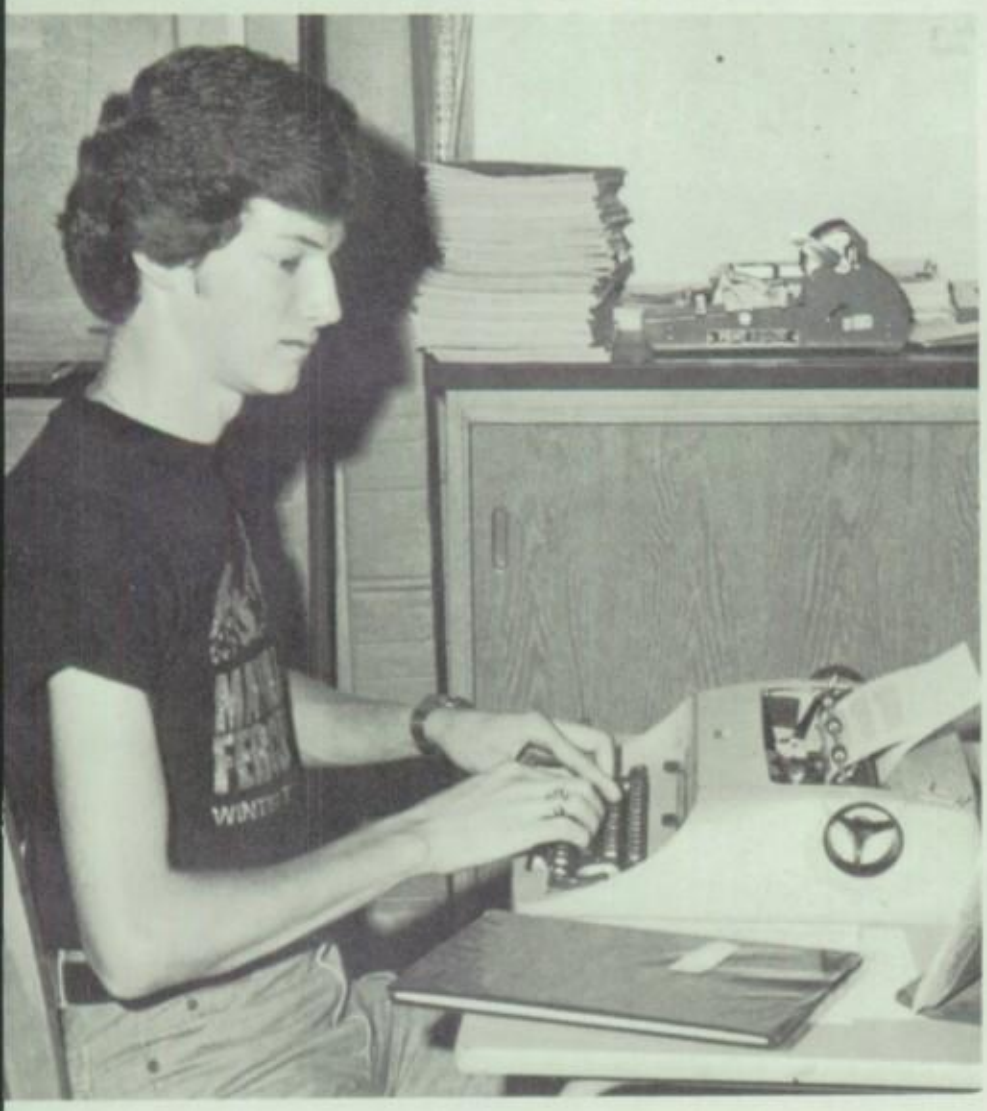
Staff Strives To Complete CAVALIER '81

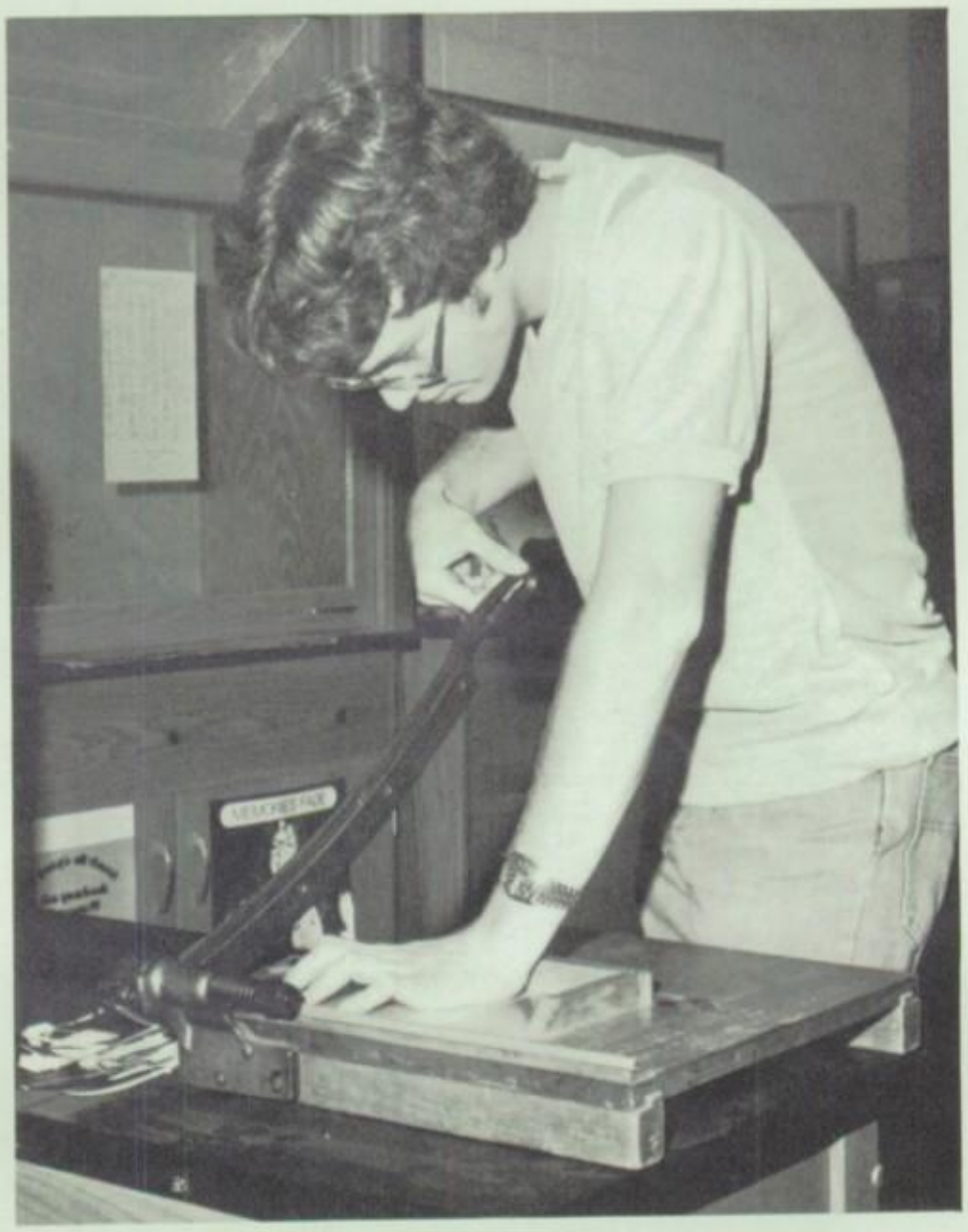
The Yearbook Staff started off the year with their trip to Maryville for the annual yearbook meeting. A speaker was featured and several classes were offered.

The staff which consists of editor Curtis Hall, Michel Hall, David Huntsman, Lori Hunziger, juniors Joan Snapp, Lesa Polsgrove, Debbie Brock, and Angie Matthews worked hard and put in many hours to complete the annual.

We hope we have captured many memorable moments.

Above: Members of the '81 CAVALIER staff. Below: Debbie Brock, Lesa Polsgrove, and Angie Matthews design layouts at the I.C.P. workshop.





Above and clockwise: Curtis Hall types copy for the CAVALIER. Lori Hunziger, Mr. Buntz, and Michel Hall look over some yearbook covers at the I.C.P. seminar in Maryville. David Huntsman trims pictures to fit his layout. Joe Flemming explains layout procedure to Michel Hall and Curtis Hall.

Above and clockwise: Deena Williams types a dummy copy. The KNIGHT LIFE staff. Shelly Derr pastes up a story.

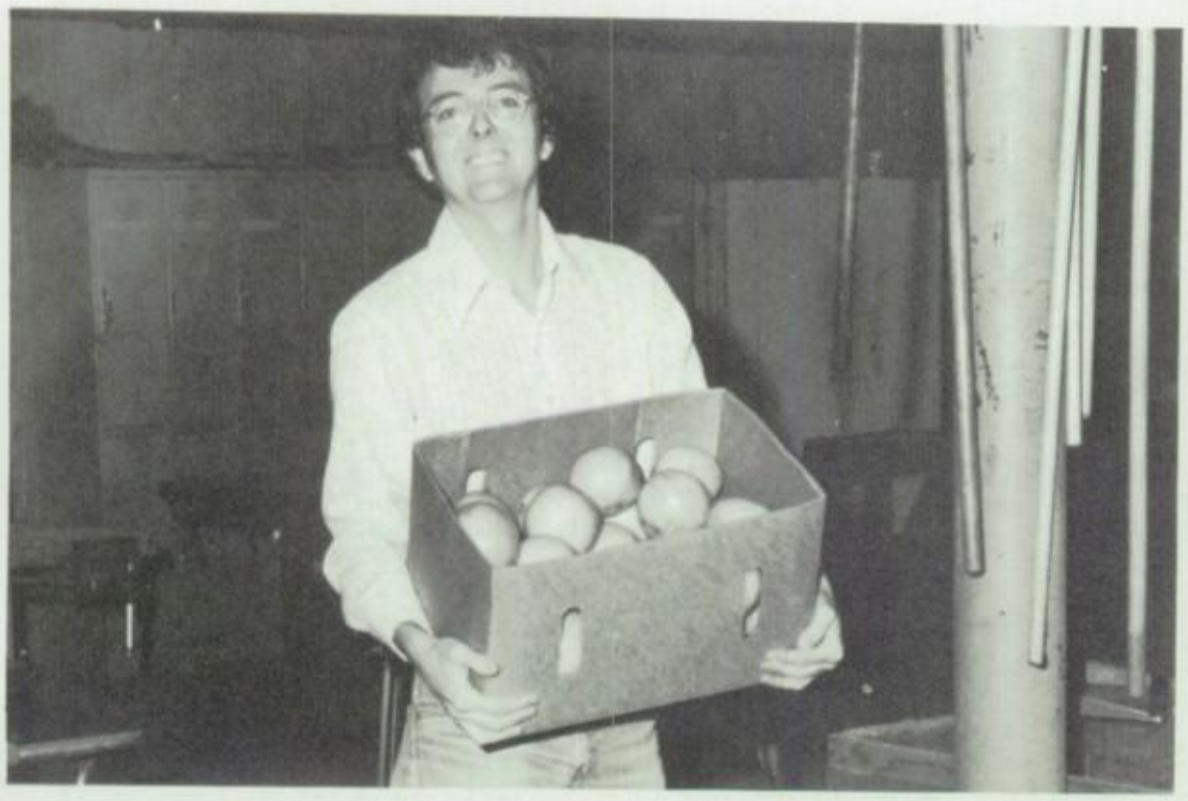
KNIGHT LIFE Staff Reports the News

The students in journalism class held together during a long year to keep up with the happenings and publish the KNIGHT LIFE each month. Frequent visits with teachers and events of the school year kept the staff busy with lots of news to be published. Plenty of rushing around was common as the deadline rolled around and reporters worked hard to finish their stories.

Above: The staff works hard to beat the deadline. Left: Lesa Polsgrove lines up a column. Below: Mrs. Betty Waller, adviser, ready to read another story.

Lettermen Earn Money for Athletic Program

The major role of the lettermen was to improve the athletic program at South Holt. Two money-making projects, working in concession stands and selling fruit around Christmas, were used to earn enough for the club. The money earned will be used for football and basketball equipment to improve the development of athletes at South Holt.



Above and clockwise: Mr. Connell enjoying his work with the lettermen club's fruit sales. Coach Ehlers, a lettermen club sponsor. A few of next year's returning lettermen.

MUSICIANS

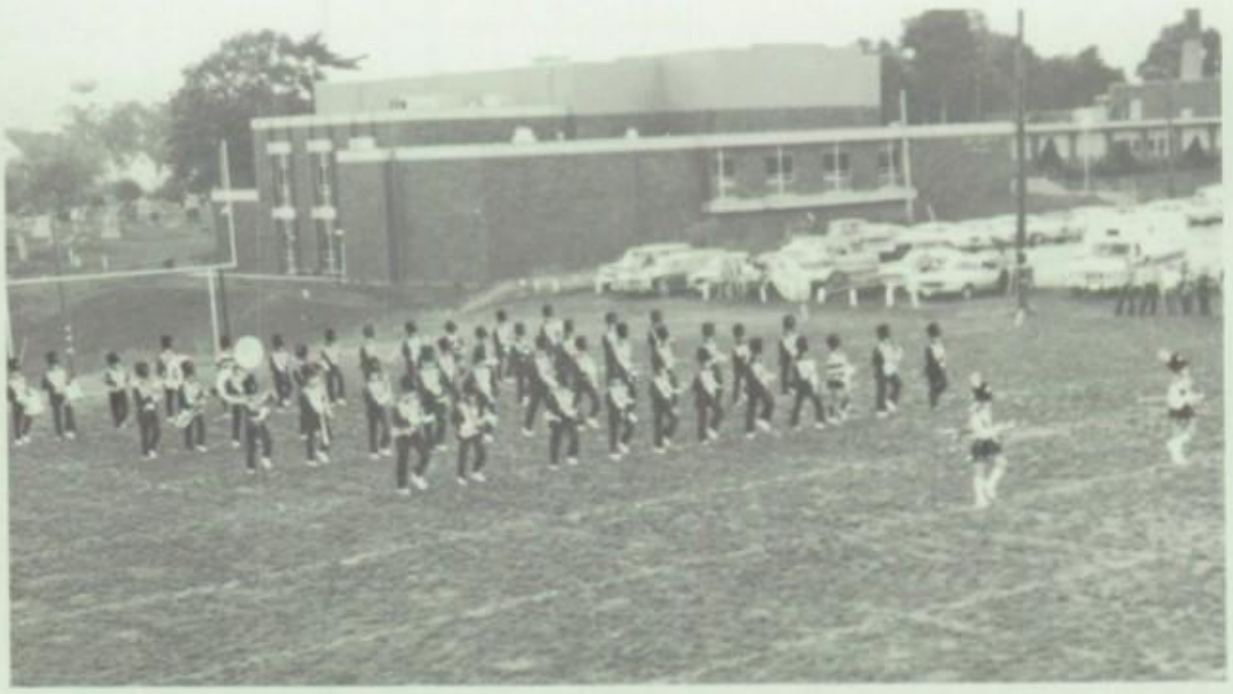
Above and clockwise: Mrs. Kennon directs the band at the spring concert. Shelly Derr, Ronnie Greiner, and Edwin Patterson march and play their trumpets. Miss Noble talks between songs at a chorus concert.

Marching Band Shows Determination

The South Holt marching band, under the direction of Mrs. Vicki Kennon, began the season two weeks before school started. Early each morning the band met out on the football field to practice for the coming events.

Marching band contests took the 70 member band to perform in the Southwest Iowa Band Jamboree, Northwest Missouri State University homecoming parade, and the Missouri Western State College homecoming parade, where they received a third place trophy. They also performed in the Holt County Autumn Festival parade.

Above and clockwise: South Holt marching band participates in the Missouri Western State College homecoming parade. Carol Dudeck stands on the football field with her tuba, ready for a morning practice. Mark Dudeck leads the band in the trombone section. The marching band lines up for the football palyers, as they run through the hoop held by majorettes Terri Slusher and Michel Hall.



Below and clockwise: Performing in the Holt County Autumn Festival is the South Holt marching band. David Huntsman demonstrates his marching and playing abilities. Majorettes Terri Slusher and Michel Hall lead a half-time show. The marching band enters the field to perform the national anthem in a pre-game performance.

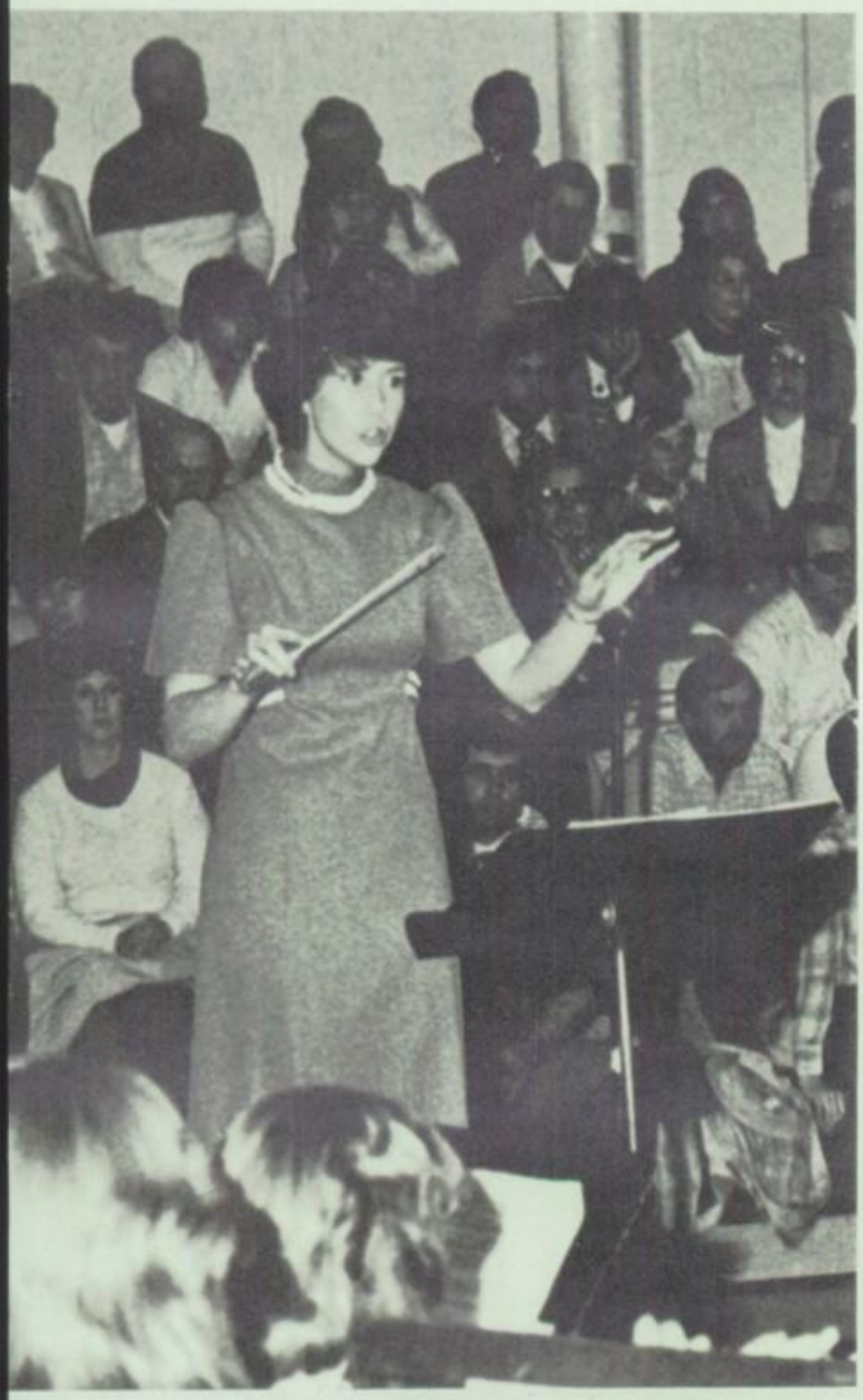
Concert Band Has Excellent Year

The South Holt band, under the direction of Mrs. Vickie Kennon, presented three concerts during the year. Mrs. Kennon is a first year teacher at South Holt, and during her first year, reached many goals and improved the band tremendously.

The Concert Band received a one rating at Maryville for contest. Of the solos and ensembles taken to contest, Penny Kurtz received a one rating at district contest and at State received a two. Kelly Kurtz received a one on his solo at district and a two at State. The Brass Sextet received at contest a one and at State a one also. Kelly Atkins received a one both at district and at State. Shelly Derr received a one on her trumpet solo at district and a two at State.

Mrs. Kennon did a fine job directing the High School Band and we are all looking forward to next year.

Above and clockwise: The Brass Sextet performing at a concert. The band performs at the Christmas Concert. Becky Normile playing the chimes on her solo in "Novena". Gregg Delp concentrates on his part of playing the kettle drums.



Left and clockwise: Pictured is the Baritone section consisting of Bradley Kurtz, Kelly Atkins, and Paul Kurtz. Mrs. Kennon directs the band during the Christmas Concert. The Dixieland Band performs at the Spring Concert. Mrs. Kennon proudly stands with the State competition individuals. Shown left to right is Penny Kurtz, Michel Hall, Shelly Derr, and Kelly Atkins. Back row: Mrs. Kennon, Curtis Hall, Mark Dudeck, Kelly Kurtz, and Bradley Kurtz.

Choir Works Hard to Present Enjoyable Programs

The High School Choir under the direction of Miss Noble, worked very hard preparing two concerts. Both concerts were well done and crowd attendance was good.

Other projects of the Choir included the presentation of a Christmas program in East Hills Shopping Center, and participation at contest in Maryville.

Left and clockwise: The choir sings at their Christmas Concert. Michel Hall, Lisa Boswell, and Cheryl Roecker present a girls trio. Miss Noble awards Cheryl Roecker and Patrick Williams at Kiwanis Club. Joan Snapp singing her solo at the spring concert. Sextet performs at their final concert of the year. Soloist Georgi Derr giving listeners a pleasant performance.

Band Receives Best Possible Rating

All of the early practices and hard work paid off for the concert band. They received a "I" rating from all three judges for their performance at District Contest. The two numbers they performed were "Novena", by James Swearigen, and "El Capitan", by John Philip Sousa. They also received a "I" rating in sight reading, to bring the band to an over-all 'I" rating.

CONTEST RATINGS	DISTRICT	STATE
Concert Band	I, I, I, I	
Instrumental Solos		
Kelly Atkins, Baritone	I	I
Georgi Derr, Saxophone	II	
Shelly Derr, trumpet	I	II
Carol Dudeck, tuba	II	
Mark Dudeck, trombone	II	
Ronnie Greiner, trumpet	II	
Curtis Hall, trumpet	II	
Todd Kunkel, trombone	II	
Bradley Kurtz, baritone	II	
Kelly Kurtz, tuba	I	II
Penny Kurtz, piccolo	I	II
John Sommer, trombone	II	
Tracy Stroud, clarinet	III	
Instrumental Ensembles		
Flute Trio Michel Hall Lori Hunziger Debbie Patterson	II	
Flute Quartet Penny Kurtz Rhonda Hunziger Kristin Lark Tracey Scroggins	II	
Clarinet Trio Ann Bender Tracy Stroud Deena Williams	II	
Clarinet Quartet Sherry Buckles Amy Fitzmaurice Lesa Polsgrove Lora Scroggins	II	
Mixed Brass Ensemble I Shelly Derr Curtis Hall Kelly Atkins Bradley Kurtz Mark Dudeck Kelly Kurtz	I	I

CONTEST RATINGS	DISTRICT
Mixed Brass Ensemble II Ronnie Greiner Edwin Patterson Bradley Kurtz Kelly Atkins John Sommer Carol Dudeck	II

Top to bottom: Lesa Polsgrove, Sherry Buckles, Amy Fitzmaurice, and Lora Scroggins perform in the Clarinet Quartet. The band under the direction of Mrs. Kennon performs their contest tunes.

Chorus Works Hard for Contest

The Chorus members along with their teacher, Miss Noble, worked very hard for contest this year. They practiced before school, after school, and even come back at night to practice their numbers for contest. After all the hard practice there were three ensembles and three solos taken to contest.

CONTEST RATINGS	DISTRICT
Vocal Solos	
Georgi Derr	II
Cheryl Roecker	III
Joan Snapp	III
Vocal Ensembles	
Mixed Sextet	II
Lisa Hunziger	
Lori Hunziger	
Becky Normile	
Donna Reynolds	
David Fuller	
Patrick McWilliams	
Girls Trio I	II
Michel Hall	
Cheryl Roecker	
Angie Steebie	
Girls Trio II	II
Georgi Derr	
Joan Snapp	
Sondra Snapp	

Above and clockwise: Sextet performs at the Spring Concert. Cheryl Roecker sings her solo. Our chorus teacher Miss Noble.

Pep Band Shows Spirit

The pep band, under the direction of Mrs. Kennon, played at pep assemblies and football games. Members of the pep band are band members that are not participating in another activity.

Right and clockwise: Lynn Prussman, Lesa Polsgrove, and Lisa Hunziger, playing at a Pep Assembly. Marching students Jeff Huntsman and John Sommer, try to keep in line. Lora Scroggins, Georgi Derr, and Ann Bender get ready for early morning band practice. Elliot McClanahan, Darin Crider, and Patty Hunziger, drumming for a football game.

ATHLETICS

Above and clockwise: Brandon Cotton works to roll his opponent and get the pin. Sondra Snapp guards the ball. Russell Slusher gains some yardage.

Seniors Lead Knights With Determination

The Knight team was led by three senio throughout the football season. The 1980- football squad put out much effort in practi and games during the season. In August, men started practice with anticipation of good season ahead. After several losses t Knights still didn't lose hope and kept fighti until the end. The underclassmen gained mu experience under the direction of Coach Ter Ehlers and Assistant Coach Craig Barker.

Above and clockwise: Senior football players, Bob Costello, Kelly Kurtz, and Brandon Cotton. Kelly Kurtz tackles an opponent. Coach Ehlers presides over a play. Brett Derr decides he is thirsty after practice.

The 1980-81 Knights football squad: front row; Rick Dozier, Kelly Kurtz, Robert Costello, Brandon Cotton, Monty Scroggins, and Bradley Kurtz; second row; Jeff Rayhill, John Sommer, Brett Derr, Junior Gillenwater, Edwin Patterson, Dennis Prussman, and Russell Slusher; third row; Richard Greene, Jeff Cotton, Ryan Radley, Brad Derr, Nathan Klaasmeyer, Allan Fansher, and Greg Delp; back row; trainer Lesa Polsgrove, assistant coach Craig Barker, coach Terry Ehlers, Kirby Meyer, Craig Buckles, and student manager Darrick Scroggins. Not shown, Wyle Williams.

Above: Assisted by Dennis Prussman, Kelly Kurtz hurls a mighty kick.

SEASON SCORES

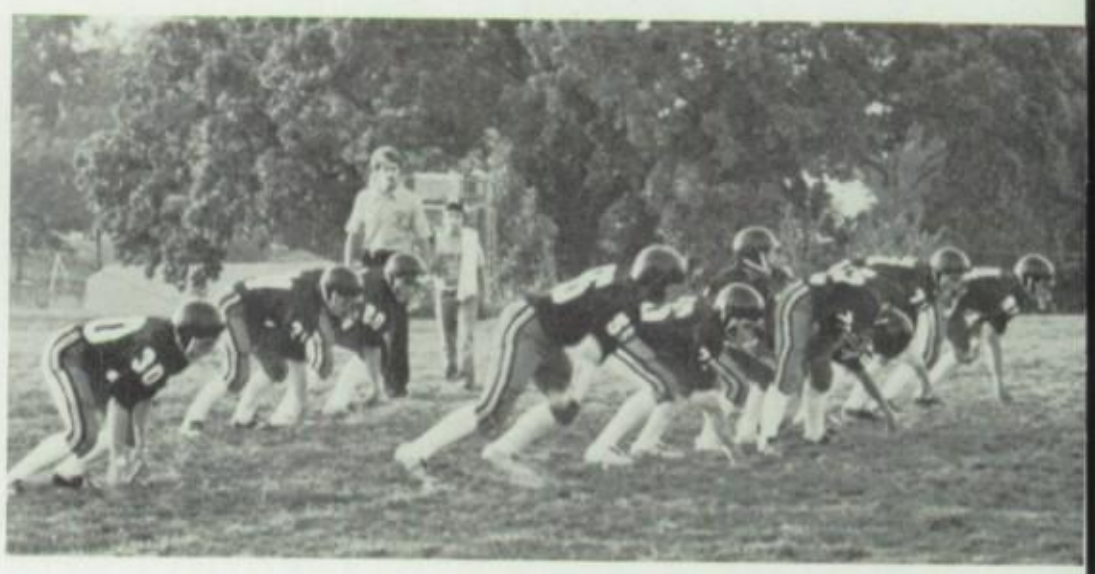
VARSITY

South Holt		Opponent
8	West Nodaway	27
6	Fairfax	15
12	Craig	18
13	Rock Port	43
13	North Nodaway (Homecoming)	12
22	Tarkio	42
24	Nodaway-Holt	46
0	Mound City	36
0	Mid-Buchanan	42

JUNIOR VARSITY

South Holt		Opponent
0	Tarkio	13
26	Mound City	14
16	Savannah	26

Above and clockwise: Quarterback Dennis Prussman discusses plays with the coaches. Junior Gillenwater carries the ball to gain yardage for the Knights. Coach Barker briefs players during a game. The Knights prepare for a practice run before a game.



Costello Named to All-Conference Team

Robert Costello was chosen as a member of the All-Conference team. Because of his outstanding playing abilities he was selected as a tight end and defensive end to represent the 275 Conference. Players and coaches throughout the conference selected the All-Conference team. Costello was one of three seniors on the football team.

Left and clockwise: Knights work vigorously during practice. Robert Costello warms up before practice. Robert Costello, All-Conference player. Coach Terry Ehlers awards Brandon Cotton with the Kiwanis male athlete award.

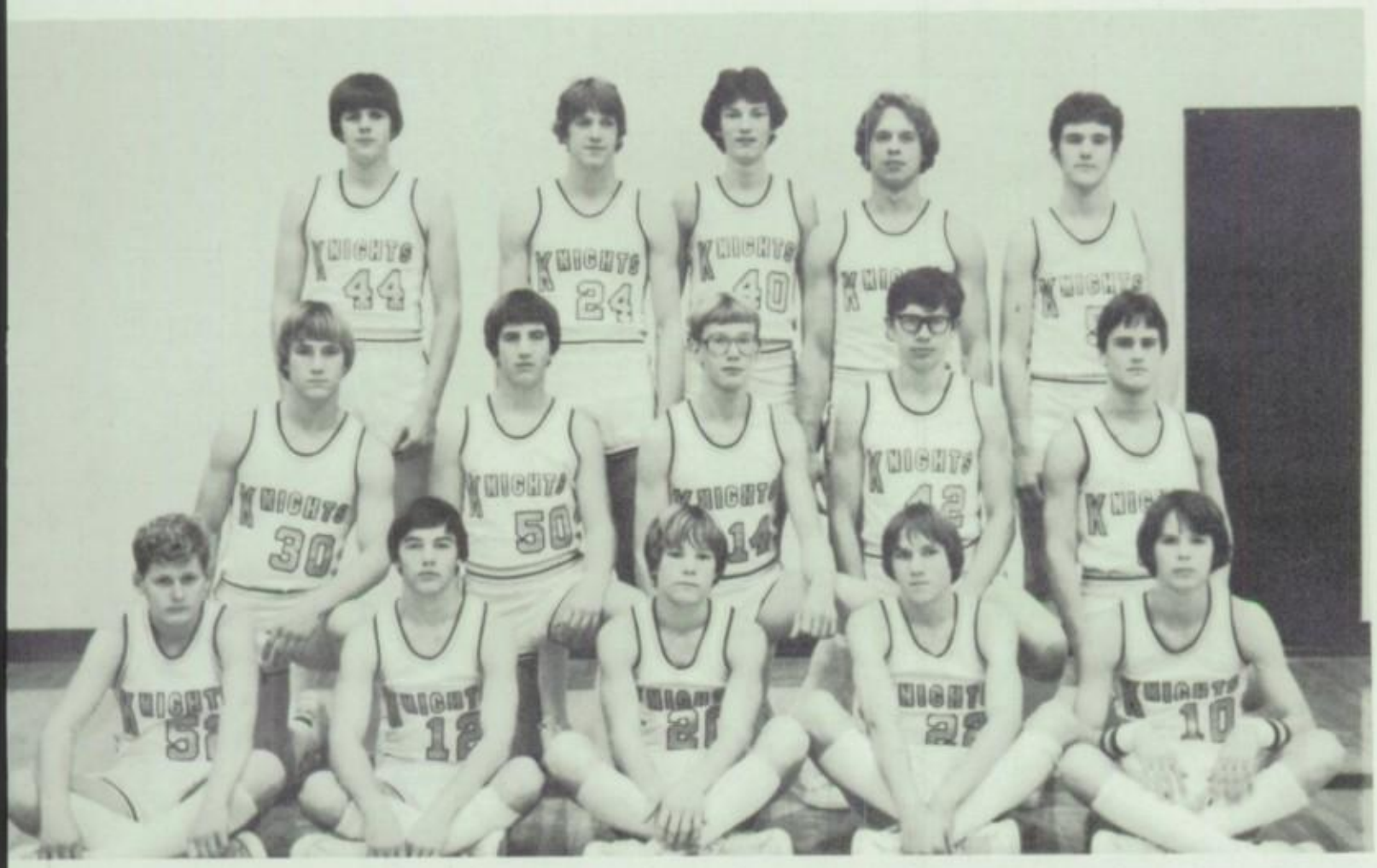
Boys Show Enthusiasm

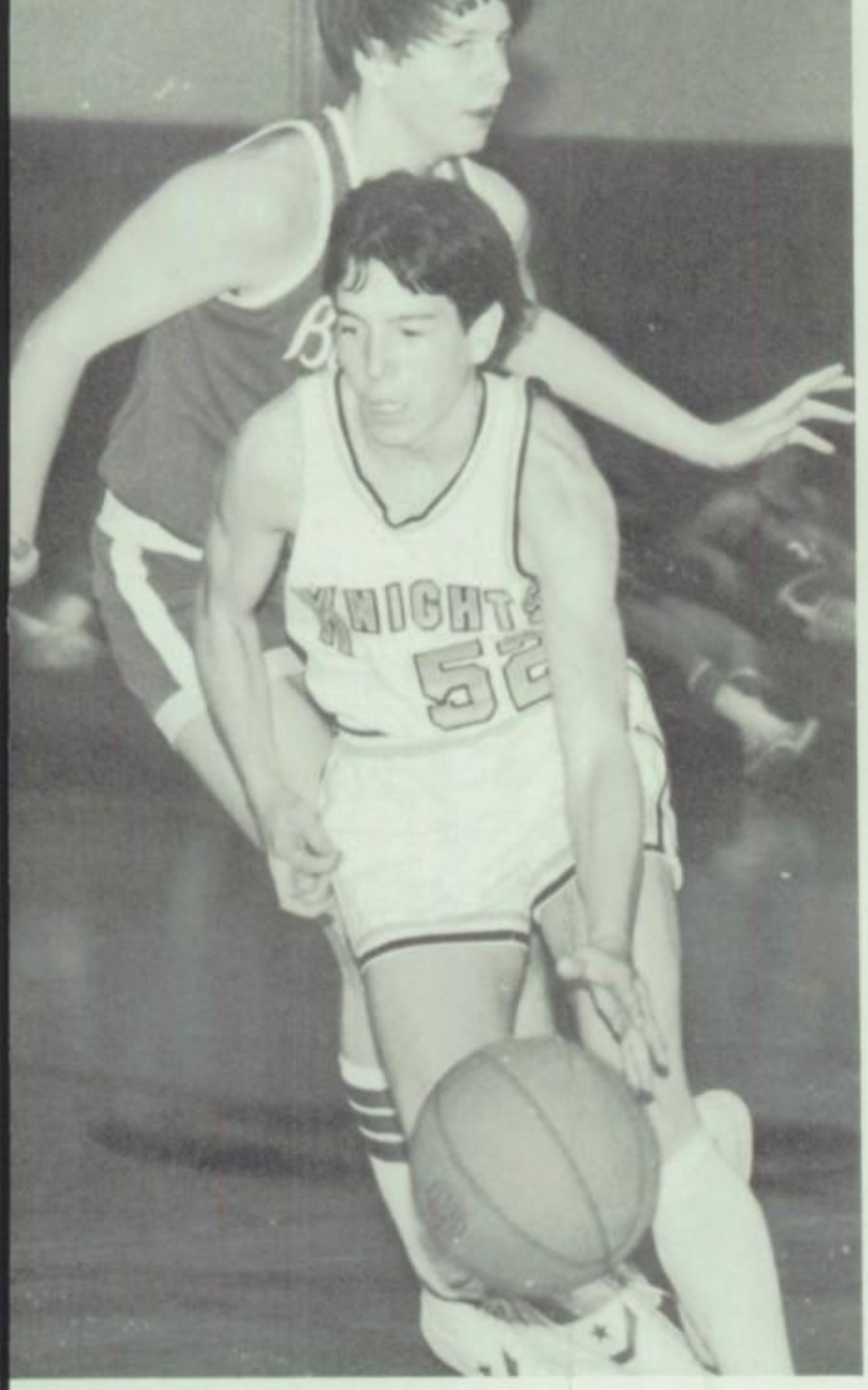
The basketball team worked to establish a winning trend at South Holt. After many hours of dedicated practice a team began to emerge. This team with the help of an enthusiastic student body was able to compete with all but the top two or three teams in the area.

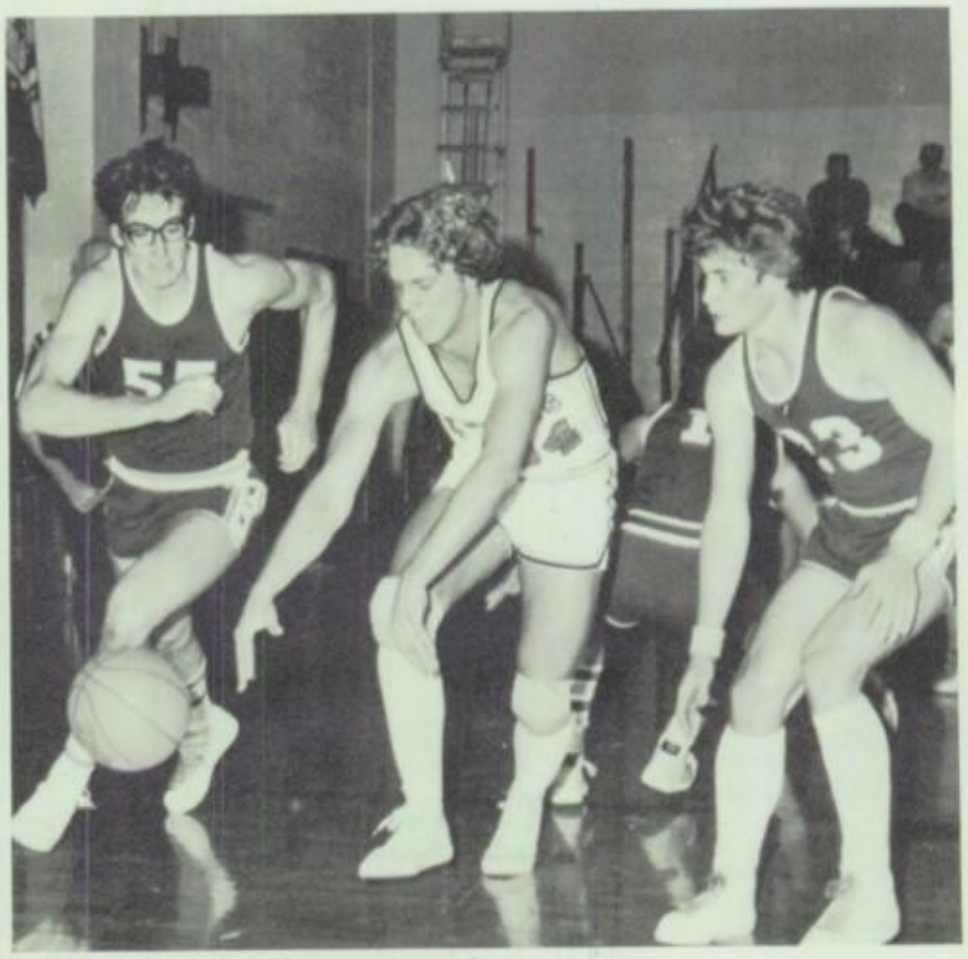
Above: Gary Roberts gets the rebound. Right: Ronnie Greiner is introduced as one of the starting line up.

Varsity Scores

South Holt		Opponent
46	West Nodaway	47
32	King City	65
41	Rock Port	29
47	Tarkio	62
72	North Nodaway	64
57	South Nodaway	45
48	Nodaway Holt	67
34	Savannah	77
69	North Andrew	49
41	Mound City	52
39	Fairfax	62
54	Dekalb	67
59	Craig	75
	Tournament	
39	Mound City	97
	Savannah Tournament	
50	West Platte	49
31	Savannah	79
46	North Platte	77
	Regional	
52	West Nodaway	35
43	Nodaway Holt (ot)	40
44	Jefferson	51



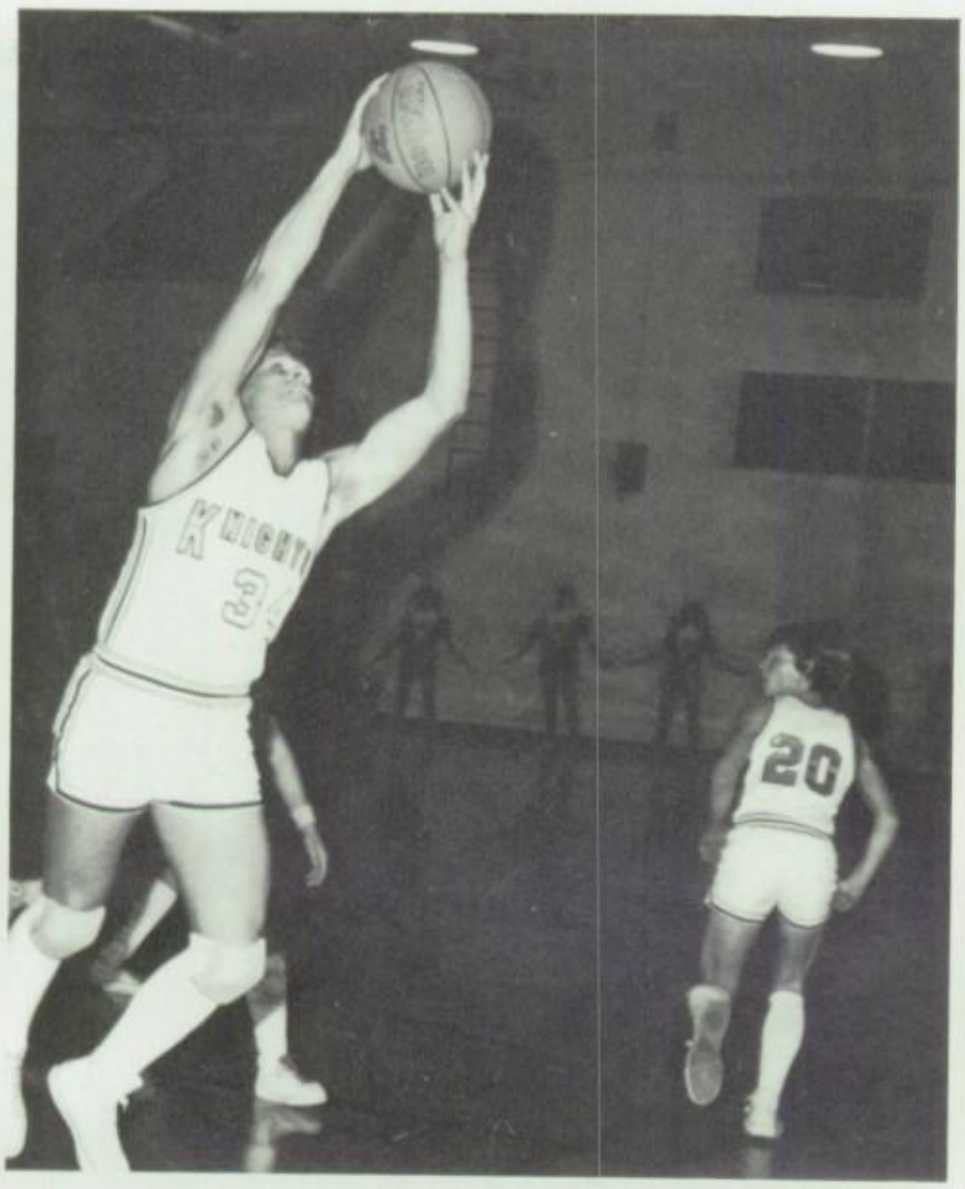




Left and clockwise: Shane McWilliams dribbles down the floor. From left to right, first row: Ronnie Greiner, Edwin Patterson, Monty Scroggins, Dennis Prussman, and Richard Wilson. Second row: Todd Kunkel, Ryan Radley, Wyle Williams, Kirby Meyer, and Russell Slusher. Third row: Brad Derr, Bob Costello, Curtis Hall, Gary Roberts, and Brett Derr. Bob Costello tries to get the ball.

Knights Fight For Victory

The Knights had a 7-13 record this season. Mr. Craig Barker lead the Knights as coach. The Knights did very well in the regional tournament, winning two games and finally losing to Jefferson.



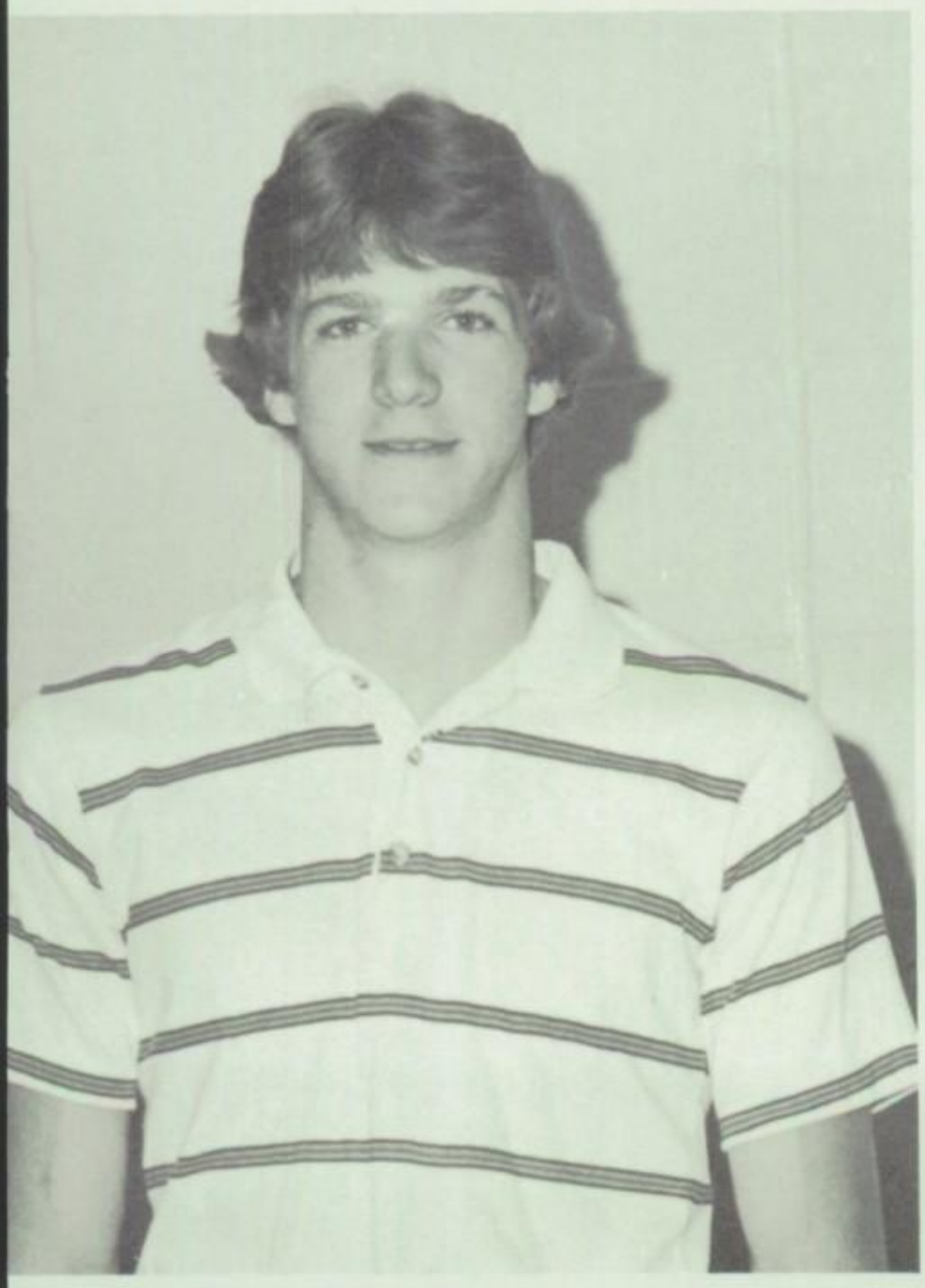
Right: Monty Scroggins shoots a basket. Above and clockwise: Bob Costello gets the rebound. Bob Costello saves a turnover.

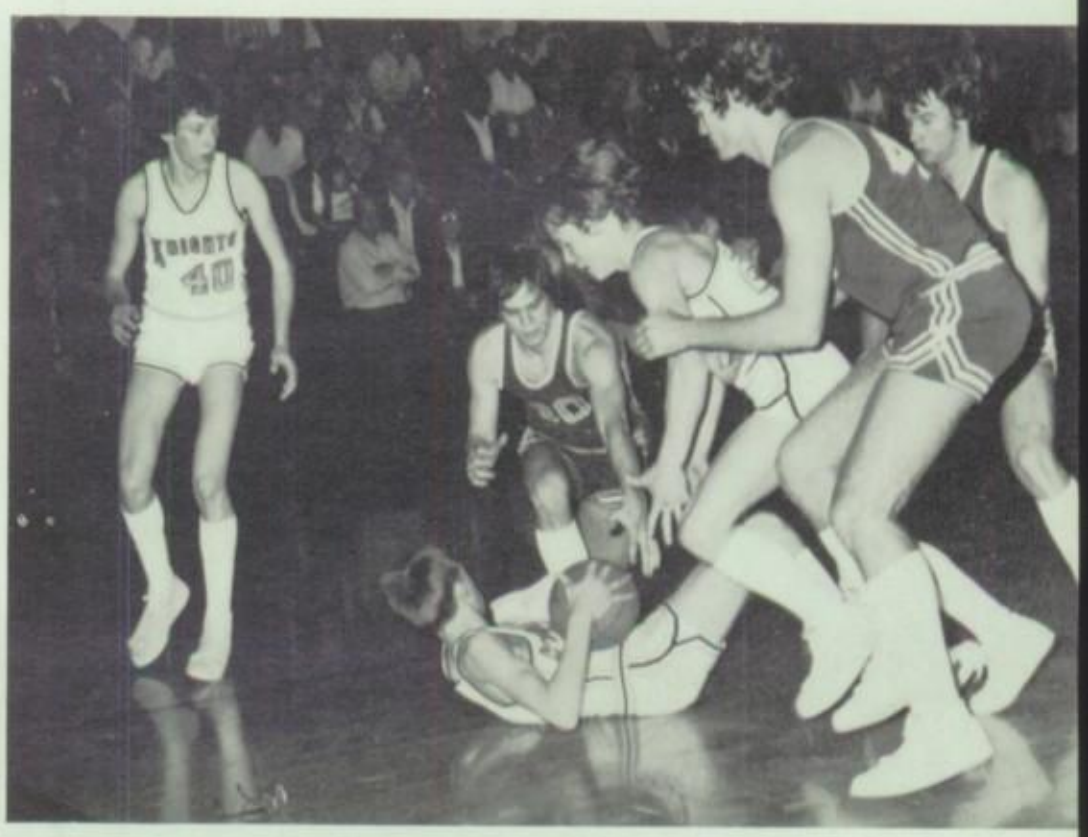
Junior Varsity

South Holt		Opponent
41	Mound City	68
48	West Nodaway	27
42	Craig	37
29	Fairfax	56
33	North Andrew	40
45	Rock Port	34
51	Tarkio	50

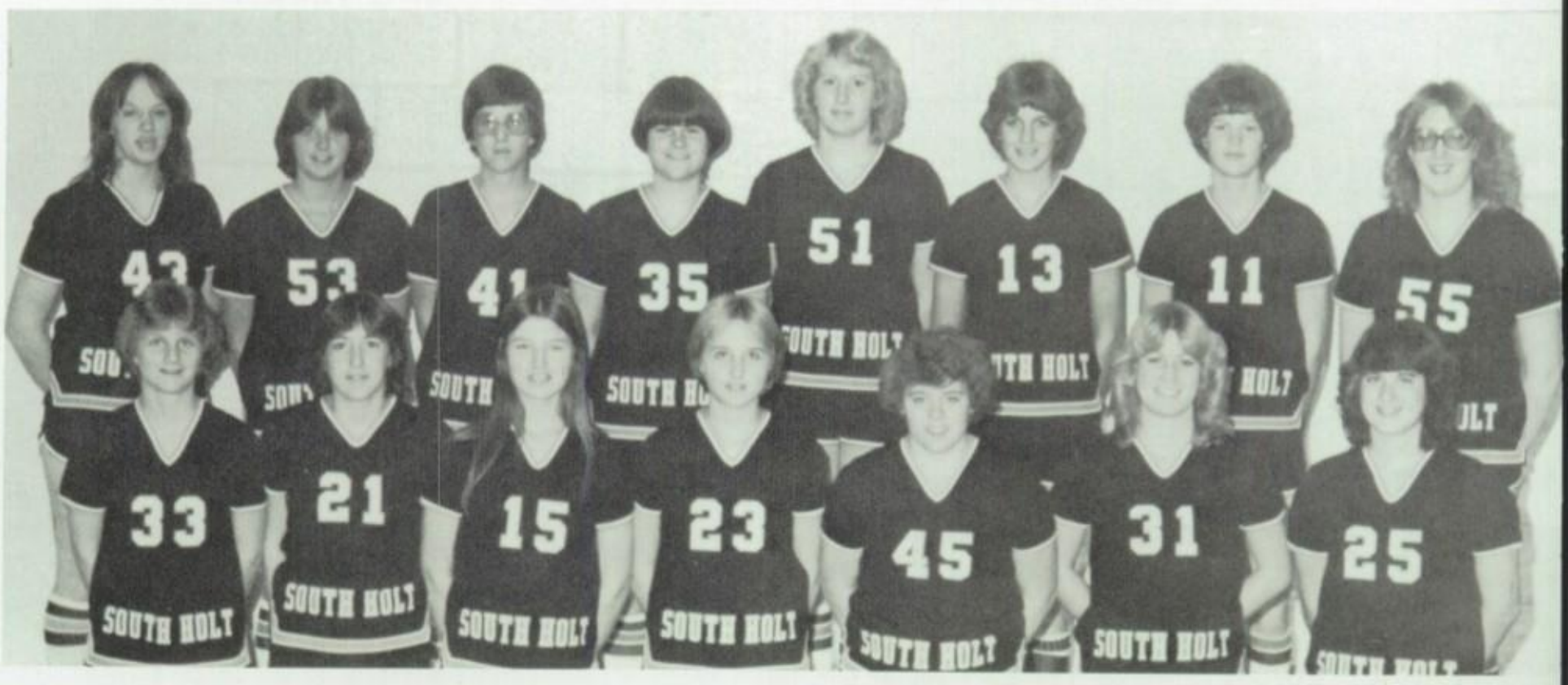
North Andrew Tournament

50	Mound City	60
24	Maryville (ot)	20
39	North Andrew	38

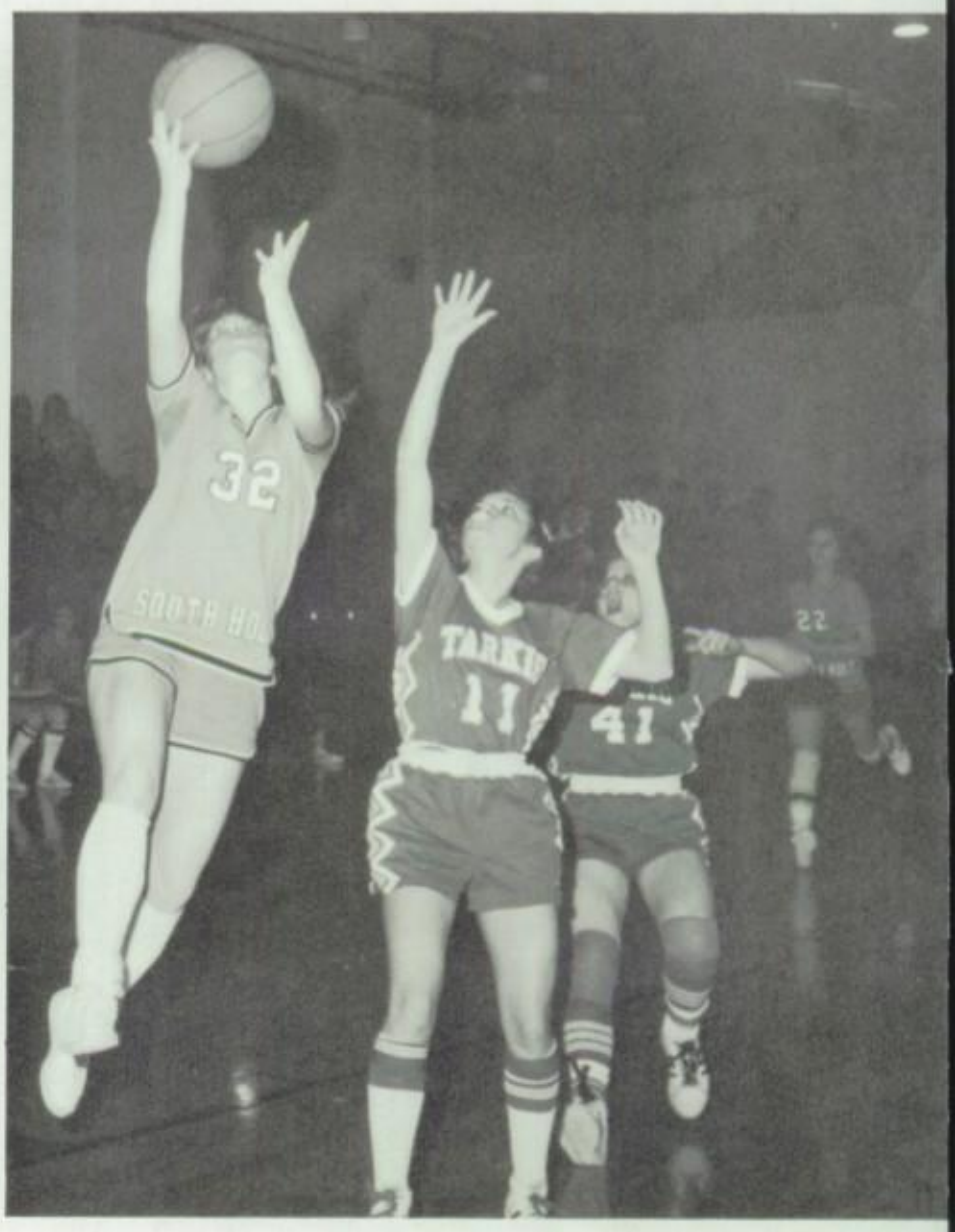




Left and clockwise: Wyle Williams saves the ball from a turnover. Gary Roberts received all conference award. Wyle Williams hold on to the ball. Wyle Williams and Monty Scroggins play ball for an assembly.



Above: The Lady Knights basketball team. From left to rigtht is, front row, Dana Brunk, Lora Scroggins, Amy Fitzmaurice, Sondra Snapp, Kerry Atkins, Terri Slusher, and Brynda Cotton. Pictured on the back row is Tracy Stroud, Sherry Buckles, Lynn Prussman, Ann Bender, Cheryl Roecker, Anna Book, Shelly Derr, and Deena Williams.



Above and clockwise: Tracy Stroud concentrates as she attempts to shoot a free throw. Pictured above is the 1980-81 basketball team. Terri Slusher goes in for a layup.

Lady Knights Strive For Excellence

The Lady Knights hustled with all their might and developed many fine athletic abilities and a good sense of sportsmanship during this year's basketball season.

Their number of games won was low but a true sense of spirit and enthusiasm showed in each game.

SEASON SCORES
GIRLS VARSITY

South Holt		Opponent
22	Fairfax (Mound City Tourney)	81
29	West Nodaway	48
27	King City	33
29	Rock Port	57
32	Smithville (Savannah Tourney)	54
26	West Platte (Savannah Tourney)	44
34	Tarkio	71
23	Hopkins	56
30	South Nodaway	49
53	Nodaway Holt	43
33	Savannah	45
34	North Andrew	51
39	Mound City (overtime)	41
37	Fairfax	68
25	DeKalb	42
40	Craig (Regional Tourney)	44
26	Craig	50

Left and clockwise: Tracy Stroud gets control of the ball during a Varsity ballgame. Mrs. Milne giving helpful davice on plays to run during a ballgame.

J.V. Has High Potential

The Junior Varsity girls fought hard this year and had many well played games along with a few losses. The girls showed a 100% attitude out on the court and did very well at learning the basics of playing basketball. Their potential is excellent and South Holt is in for many good and exciting games from these girls in the near future.

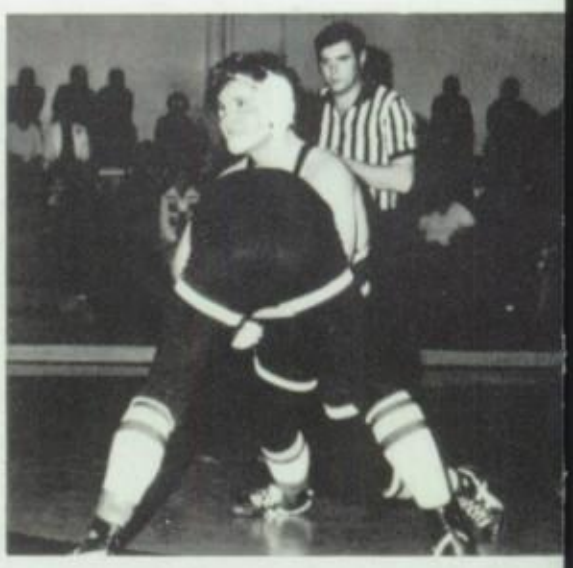
Below and clockwise: Tracy Stroud fights with all her might to regain th ball. Dana Brunk, Sondra Snapp, and Anna Book give Sherry Buckles little help in getting the ball back into the Knight's hands again. Ann Book and Tracy Stroud show good defense against their opponent.

SEASON SCORES
JR. VARSITY

South Holt		Opponent
31	Mound City	33
25	West Nodaway	46
31	Craig	39
21	Fairfax	39
25	North Andrew	45
24	Mound City (North Andrew Tourney)	27
24	Rock Port	27
35	Maryville (North Andrew Tourney)	33
20	North Andrew (North Andrew Tourney)	37
20	Tarkio	25

Left and clockwise: Dana Brunk prepares to throw the ball out during one of the Junior Varsity games. Deena Williams attempts to tip the ball to her teammates. Ann Bender gets control of the ball as Tracy Stroud and Amy Fitzmaurice give assistance.

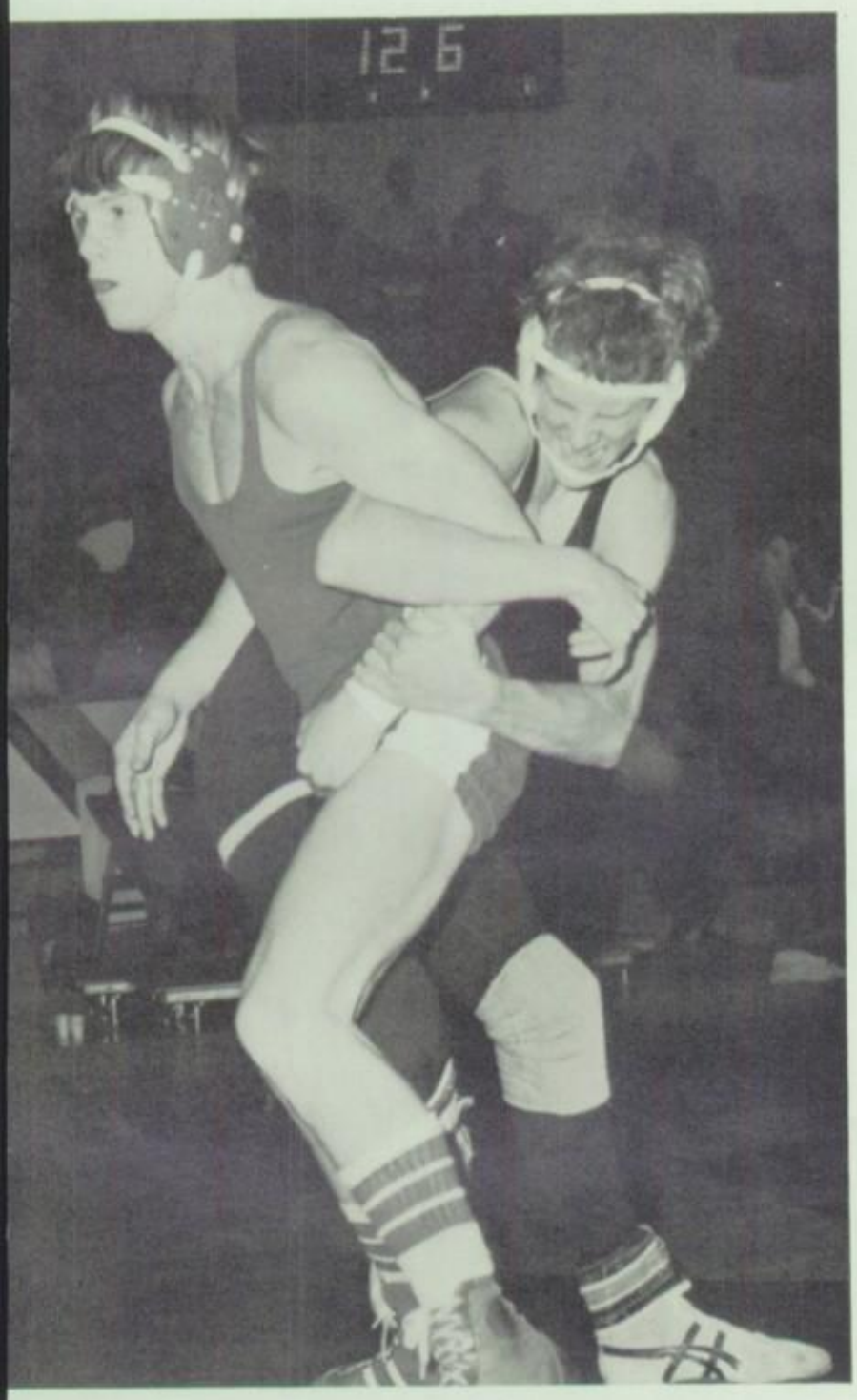
Young Grapplers Work Hard

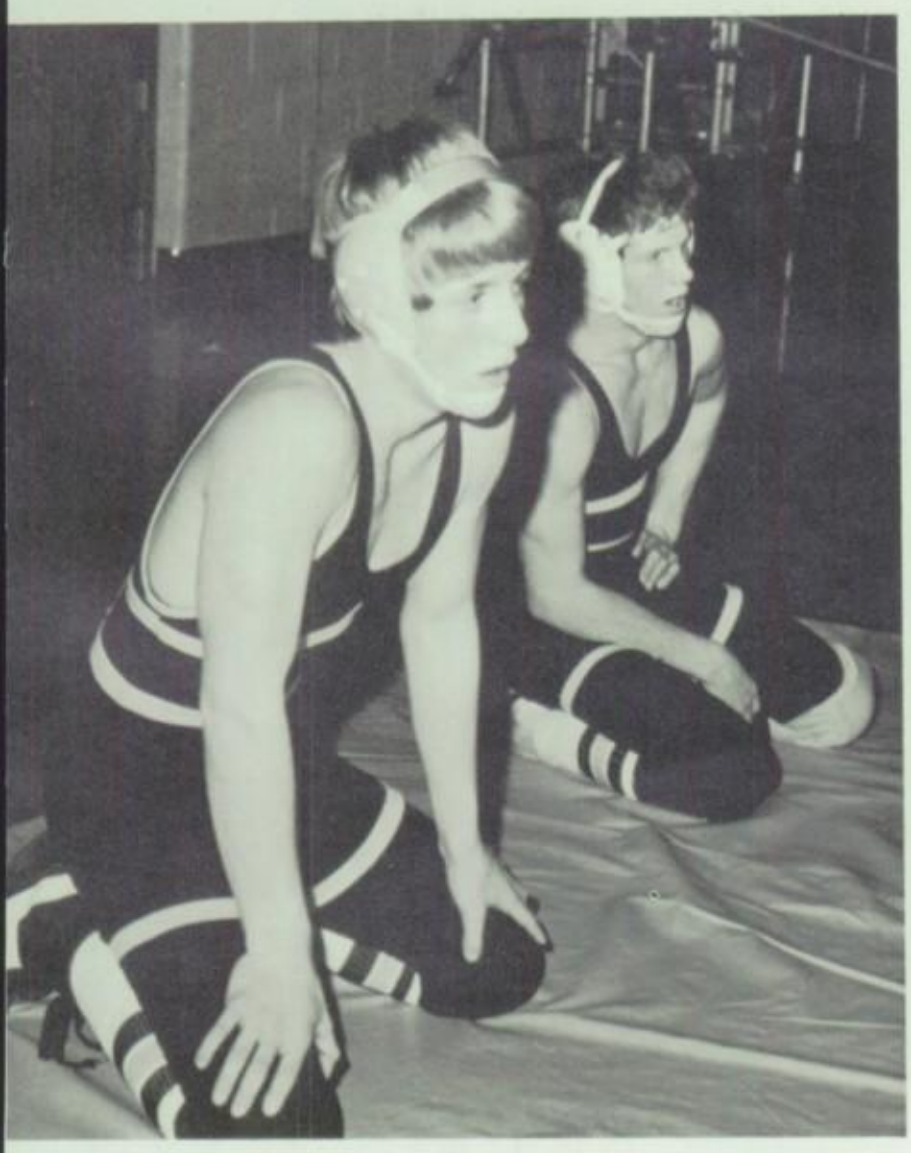


The '80-'81 wrestling season saw a lot of changes under the leadership of Coach Wharton. The program inherited a new mat, new uniforms, and a new style of wrestling that proved very competitive and successful. Congratulations to the 16 wrestlers for an exciting and rewarding season of hard work and fun.

Front row: Greg Delp, Kirby Turner, Jeff Rayhill, Brad Kurtz, Jeff Huntsman, John Harvey, Vincent Meyer, Paul Plummer, Jr. Gillenwate
Paul Kurtz, John Sommer. Back Row: Coach Wharton, Brandon Cotton, Nathen Klaasmeyer, Kyle Carmean.

Above and clockwise: Jr. Gillenwater and parents on Parents Night. John Sommers striving for a take down. Kelly Kurtz struggling with opponent.





SOUTH HOLT INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Wt.	Class	Won	Lost
126	Bradley Kurtz, Jr. (Cap.)	18	5
167	Brandon Cotton, Sr. (Cap.)	15	9
185	Kelly Kurtz, Sr.	15	8
119	Jeff Rayhill, Soph.	10	13
155	John Sommer, Soph.	4	13
98	Kirby Turner, Soph.	8	13
98	Greg Delp, Soph.	8	13
132	Junior Gillenwater, Soph.	12	10
HW	Nathan Klaasmeyer, Soph.	0	1
145	Paul Kurtz, Soph.	4	13
126	John Harvey, Fr.	0	2
132	Paul Plummer, Fr.	2	10
132	Elliott McClanahan, Fr.	1	5
126	Jeff Huntsman, Fr.	0	1
HW	Kyle Carmean, Fr.	8	15
138	Vincent Meyer, Fr.	0	5

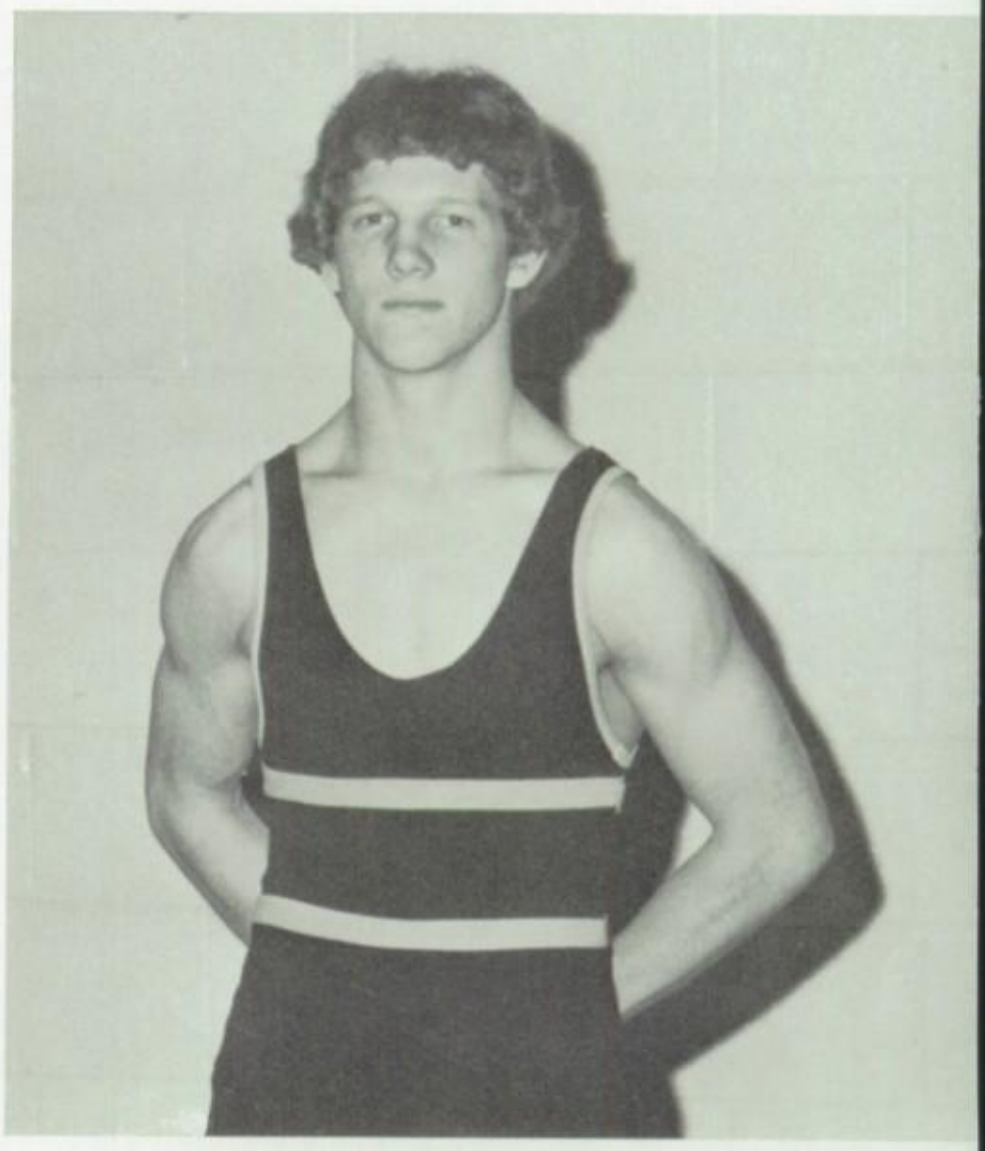
Left and clockwise: Paul Kurtz and Brad Kurtz warming up. Brad Kurtz trying for a takedown. Kelly Kurtz officiating Junior Wrestlers Tournament.

Wrestlers Bring Home Trophy

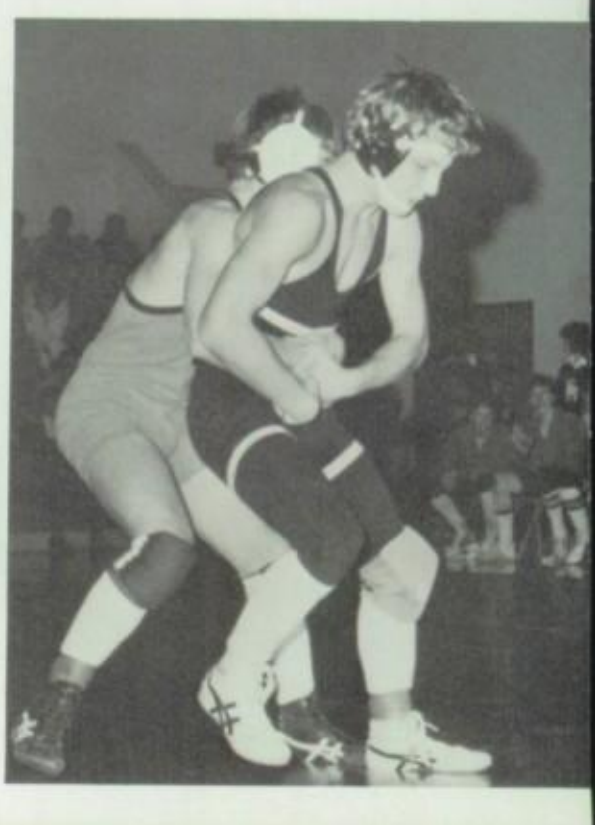
As a team the grapplers were 6-9-1. The team also brought home its first trophy ever for wrestling. The wrestlers won 1st place honors at a quad meet in Maryville defeating Rock Port-B, Maryville-B, and O'Hara-B.

Individually, Bradley Kurtz took all of the honors. He finished the year with an 18-5 record and placed 2nd at the 126 lb. weight class at District 5 in Savannah. He also broke two South Holt wrestling records by obtaining a season high 23 takedowns and recording a new fastest pin record with a 10 sec. pin.

Awards were given at the athletic banquet to outstanding wrestlers. The Outstanding Wrestler, Most Pins, Most Takedowns, and Most Team Points Awards went to Bradley Kurtz; the Most Improved Award was shared by Kelly Kurtz and Brandon Cotton—both were 1st year seniors who showed outstanding leadership and good wrestling skills; and the Most Improved Beginner Award went to Jeff Huntsman.



Above and clockwise: Brad Kurtz, Kelly Kurtz, Brandon Cotton, and Jeff Huntsman with their awards. Jr. Gillenwater breaking away. Brandon Cotton wins a match.



Successful Season for Track

The 1980-81 track season began with 21 members. Mr. Craig Barker coached both the boys and girls teams. Two new school records were set. These were the 100-meter dash and the discus. Ann Bender set a record in the 100-meter and Kerry Atkins broke the old distance record in the discus. The season was one of the most successful at South Holt.

Front row: Debbie Brock, manager, Sondra Snapp, Jill Glick, Kerry Adkins, Angie Steeby, Linda Wilson, Lori Cromer, Susie Steeby, Kelly Steeby. Second row: Lynn Prussman, manager, Todd Kunkle, Russell Slusher, Dennis Prussman, Julie Hall, Kim Nowling, Ann Bender, Shelly Derr. Third row: Coach Barker, Shane McWilliams, Brad Derr, Wyle Williams, Curtis Hall, Kevin Burton, John Sommer.
Left and clockwise: Shelly Derr tries the long jump. Wyle Williams gives his all. Linda Wilson and Kim Nowling run the circuit at practice.

Bender to State Meet

Ann Bender qualified for state by placing second in the 100-meter dash at the district track meet May 9 at Maryville. At the 1A State Track Meet in Jefferson City, May 16, she placed sixth in the 100-meter dash with a time of 13.4 seconds. This is the second year Ann has qualified for the state meet.

Above and clockwise: "Working hands." Ann Bender with her track medals. "Working feet." Susie Steeby anxiously awaiting departure for the first track meet. Kevin Burton bring up a close second. Shane McWilliams loosens up.

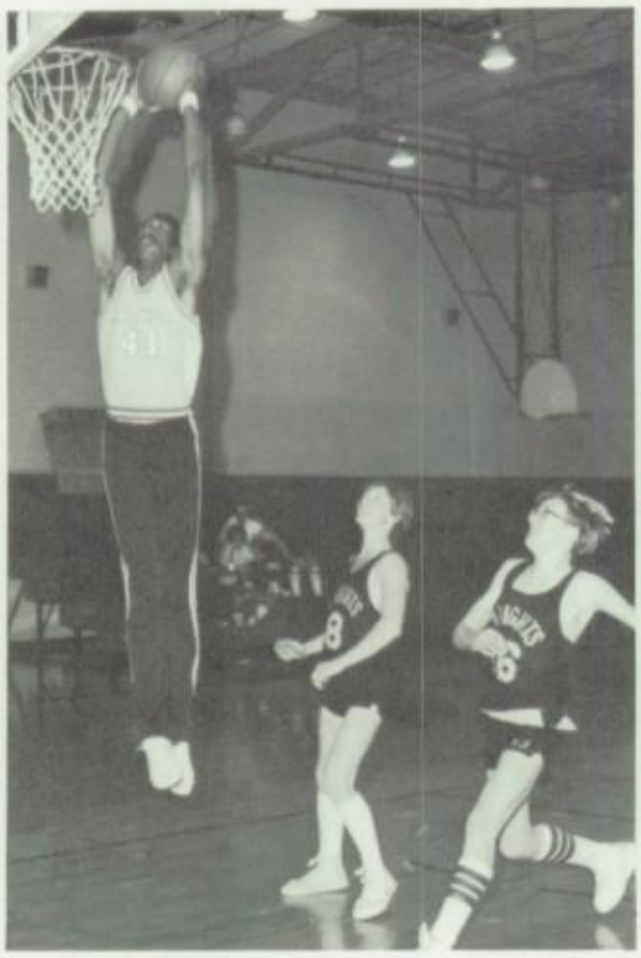
ENTERTAINERS

Above and clockwise: The band "Festival", who gave a concert during the year, and also played for the Christmas Dance. Dr. Thomas Brown, the leader of the "Gospel Now Singers", energetically leads a song. Two of the singers from Buena Vista College, whose choir performed for South Holt students.

Assemblies Provide Entertainment

Assemblies helped to give the students a welcomed break from the everyday routine of classes. Along with the usual assemblies, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter, we also enjoyed a performance given by the "Gospel Now Singers", lead by Dr. Thomas Brown. A group that called themselves the "Army Globe Trotters" also came to show their talent in playing basketball. We were also able to have the choir from Buena Vista College in Storm Lake, Iowa, come and perform.

Above and clockwise: The Buena Vista College choir from Storm Lake, Iowa. The "Gospel Now Singers" show their talent. Members of the Buena Vista College choir sing a special number. "Festival" performs for the students. Monty Scroggins and Wyle Willimas watch in amazement as a member of the "Army Globe Trotters" dunks the basketball.



HOMECOMING
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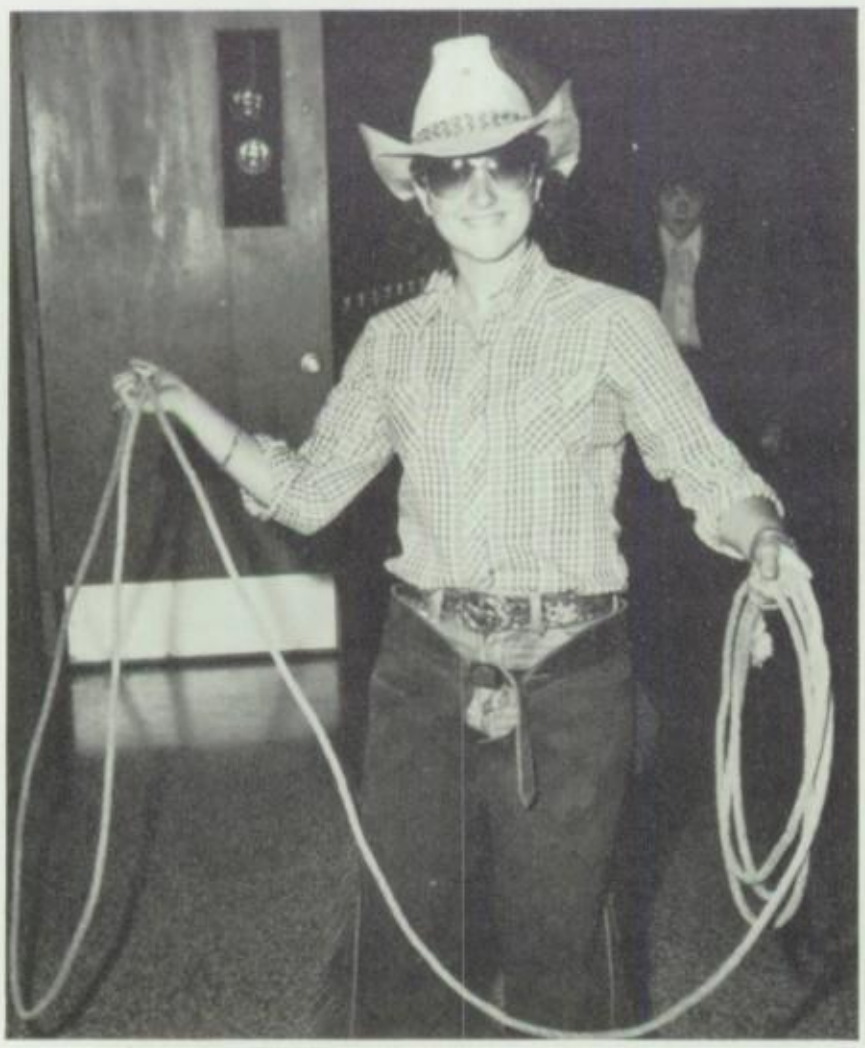
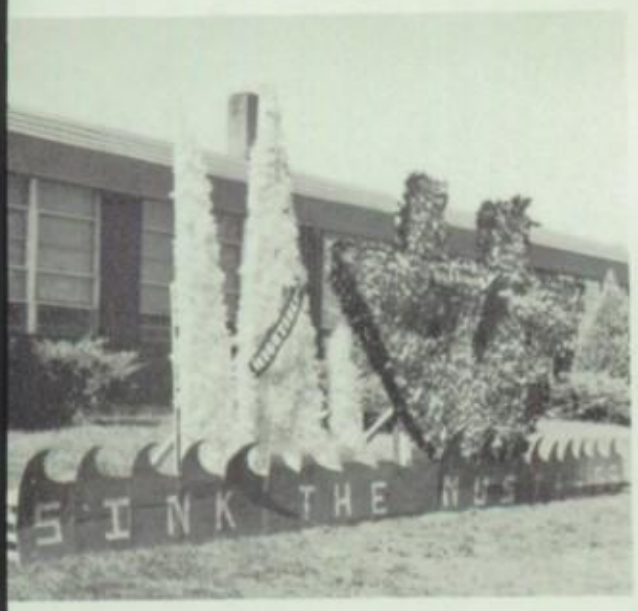
Homecoming is Climax of Spirit Week

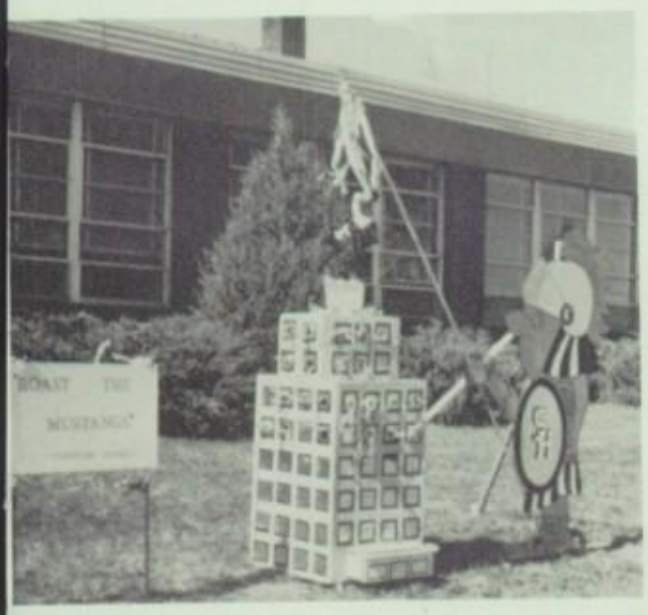
Spirit Week was the week of Homecoming, and the student body raised school spirit for the football game on Friday. A strange dress code was set up, and everyone followed it for that week. Many of the students made pep signs and hung them in the halls. The cheerleaders decorated the halls with black and gold streamers. By the end of the week everyone was pscyched for the game.

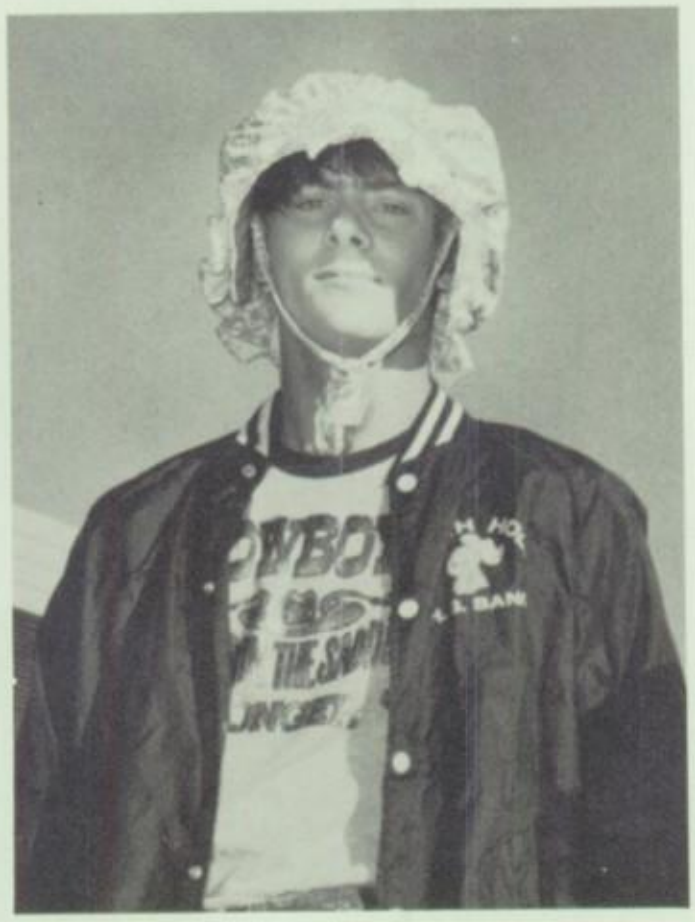
Each class built a display pertaining to the theme 'Historical Tragedies". On Friday morning the displays were set up in the school yard and there they were judged. The Junior class received first place, and the Sophomore class received second. With everyone's support Spirit Week was a big success.



Above and clockwise: Brynda Cotton shows her roping ability on cowboy and Indian day. Terri Slusher and Pat Hunziger act cool on hippie day. The football players' mothers get in the spirit at a pep assembly. Gary Roberts is "chief" on cowboy and Indian day.







Left and clockwise: Classes freshman through seniors try to take first place with their class display. The cheerleaders get into the spirit. Brandon Cotton goes all out for hat and T-shirt day.

Hall Gets Queen

The 1980 Homecoming started with everyone participating in Spirit Week. Then, on Thursday night, the student body and faculty assembled on the football field for the burning of the effigy. The cheerleaders lead a pep rally while it burned.

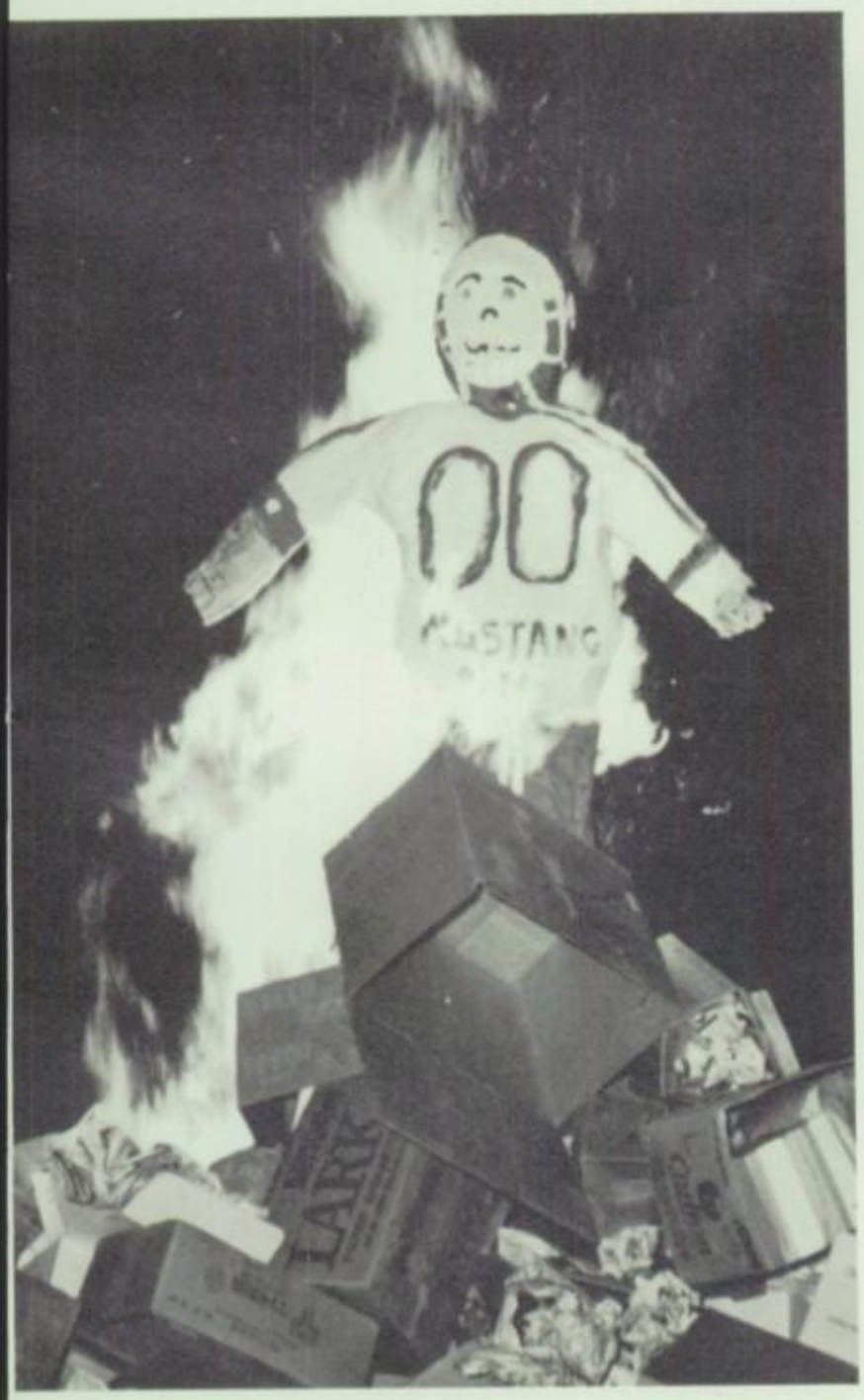
Later that evening everyone joined in and did a snake dance through main street and various other places.

On Friday, everyone was psyched and ready for a victory. Friday afternoon a tea was held in honor of the football players' mothers. After the tea, everyone, including the mothers, went to the football field for a pep assembly.

At half-time of the football game that evening, Michel Hall was crowned queen of the 1980 Homecoming. Her attendants were Lori Hunziger and Terri Slusher. The candidates were chosen by the football players, and the student body voted for the queen.

The Knights came out with a victory score of 13-12. After the game a dance was held in honor of the team's victory.

Left and clockwise: Queen Michel and her attendants Terri Slusher and Lori Hunziger. Queen Michel. Daniel Noellsch and Anne Marie Stoecklein are crown bearer and flower girl.

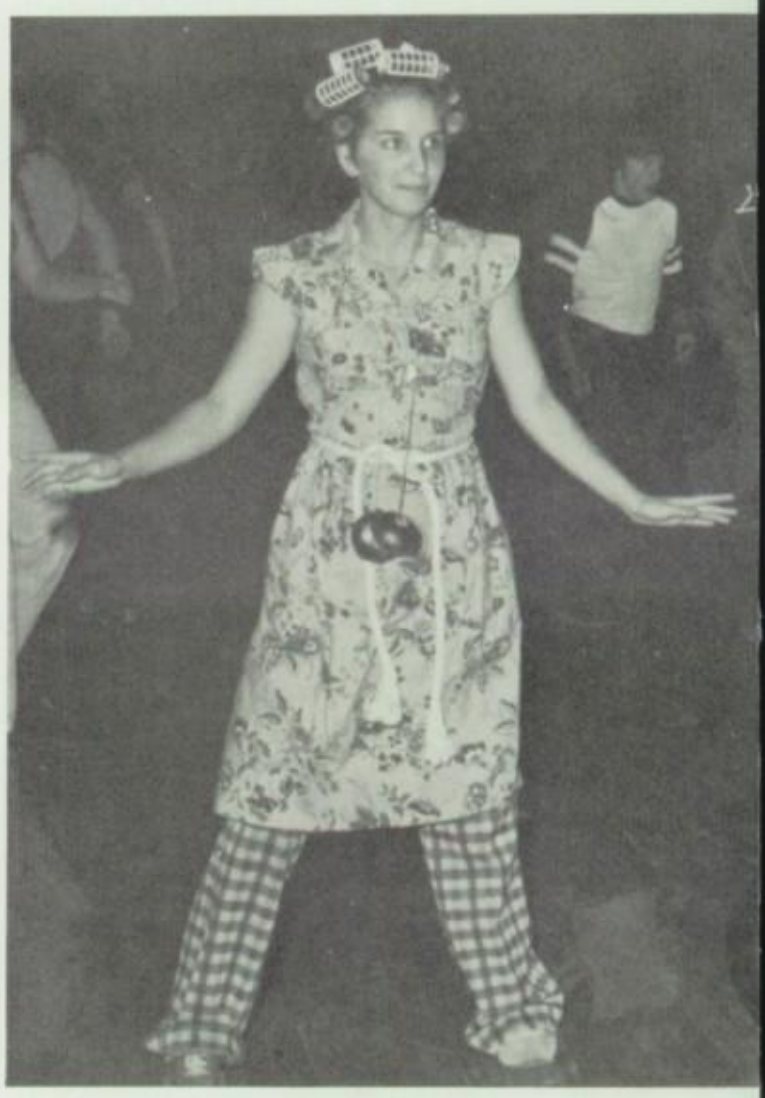


Left and clockwise: The burning of the effigy. The queen candidates are escorted onto the football field by their fathers. The football players' mothers are served refreshments at the tea. Everyone enjoys the dance after the football game.

Sock Hops Provide Break in Routine

The Freshman initiation dance tradition was again carried on this year and was a very big success. Each freshman attending wears a specified costume and yells a small piece to the satisfaction of the rest of the student body. Everyone gets in on the dancing.

The Juniors held a sock hop in the spring as a money making project to raise funds for prom.



Left and clockwise: Kyle Carmean dancing with "Mis McWilliams." Julie Hall and Carol Dudeck in their cos tumes. Mr. Wharton and Mr. Barker read their initiatio requirements. Everyone gets into the dancing scene Shane McWilliams wins the costume contest. Kriste Lark boogies down

"FESTIVAL" Performs At Christmas Dance

The 1980-81 Christmas Dance, sponsored by the Student Council, was a big success. "Festival" entertained the students and faculty with their music and comedy. During intermission, Sant Claus made a brief appearance and spoke with the crowd while the Student Council distributed the gifts.

Above and clockwise: Lori Hunziger enjoys a chat with Santa Claus. Everyone enjoys the music of "Festival." David Baker and Tracey Scroggins enjoy a dance together.

Brandon and Deena Crowned Royalty of Sweetheart Dance

Members of FHA (Future Homemakers America) selected three girls and three boys fro the senior class as candidates for king and quee of the Sweetheart Dance. These six were the voted on by the student body. Brandon Cotto and Deena Williams were chosen King and Quee of the 1980-81 Sweetheart Dance.

The dance was sponsored by the FHA. Crow bearers were Jennifer Glick and Daniel Turne The gym was decorated in pastels and the them was "Love Look What You've Done to Me."

Above and clockwise: Sweethearts enjoy slow dance. Disc jockeys Bob Hammond an Mark Harmond keep the flow of music going King and Queen of the dance are Brando Cotton and Deena Williams. Crown beare are Daniel Turner and Jennifer Glick.

PROM

1981

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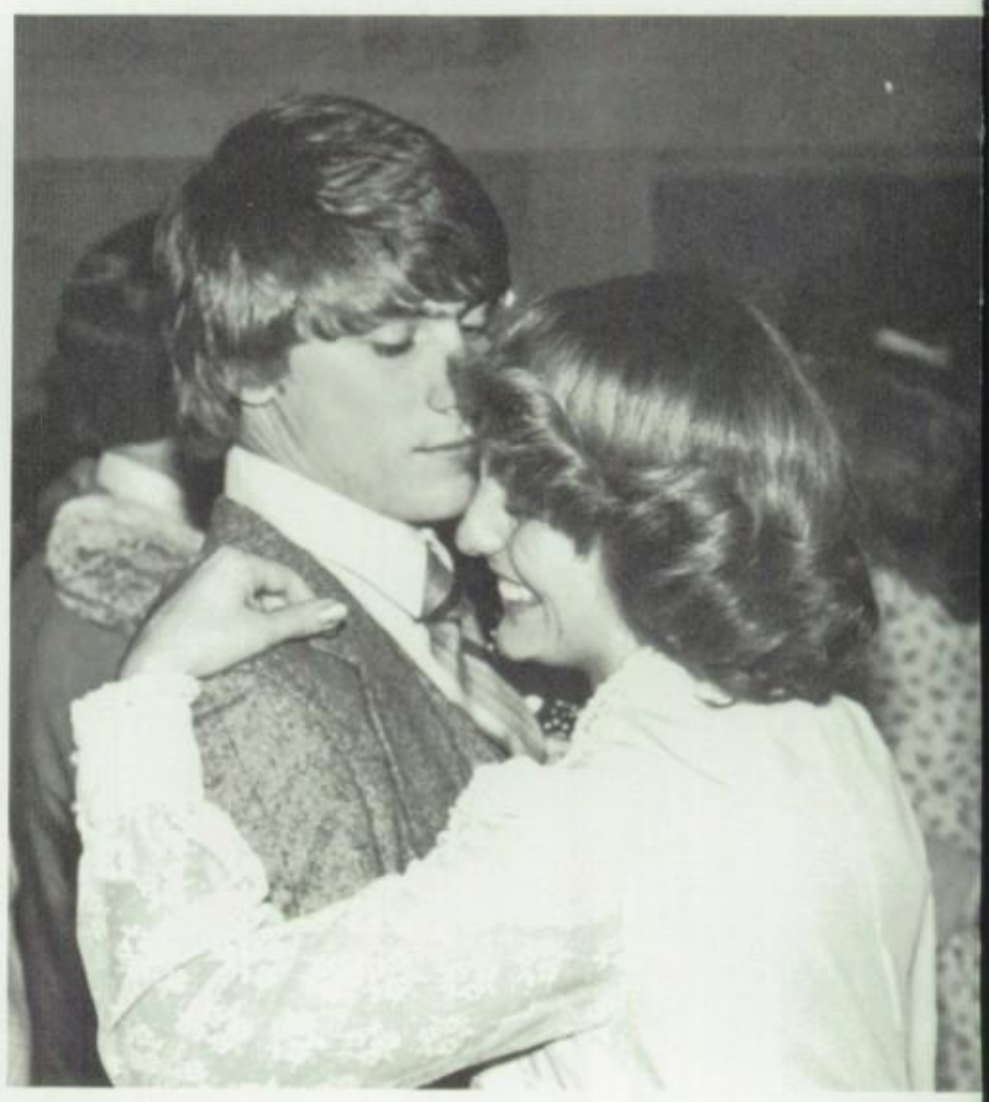
Prom Enjoyed at Country Club

The 1981 Junior-Senior Prom was held at the Country Club in St. Joseph. The junior class had worked hard all year to raise money to sponsor the prom for the seniors. On May 1st the waiting was over. Everyone enjoyed a fine meal, the juniors received their class rings, and everyone danced to the music of "Crossroads".

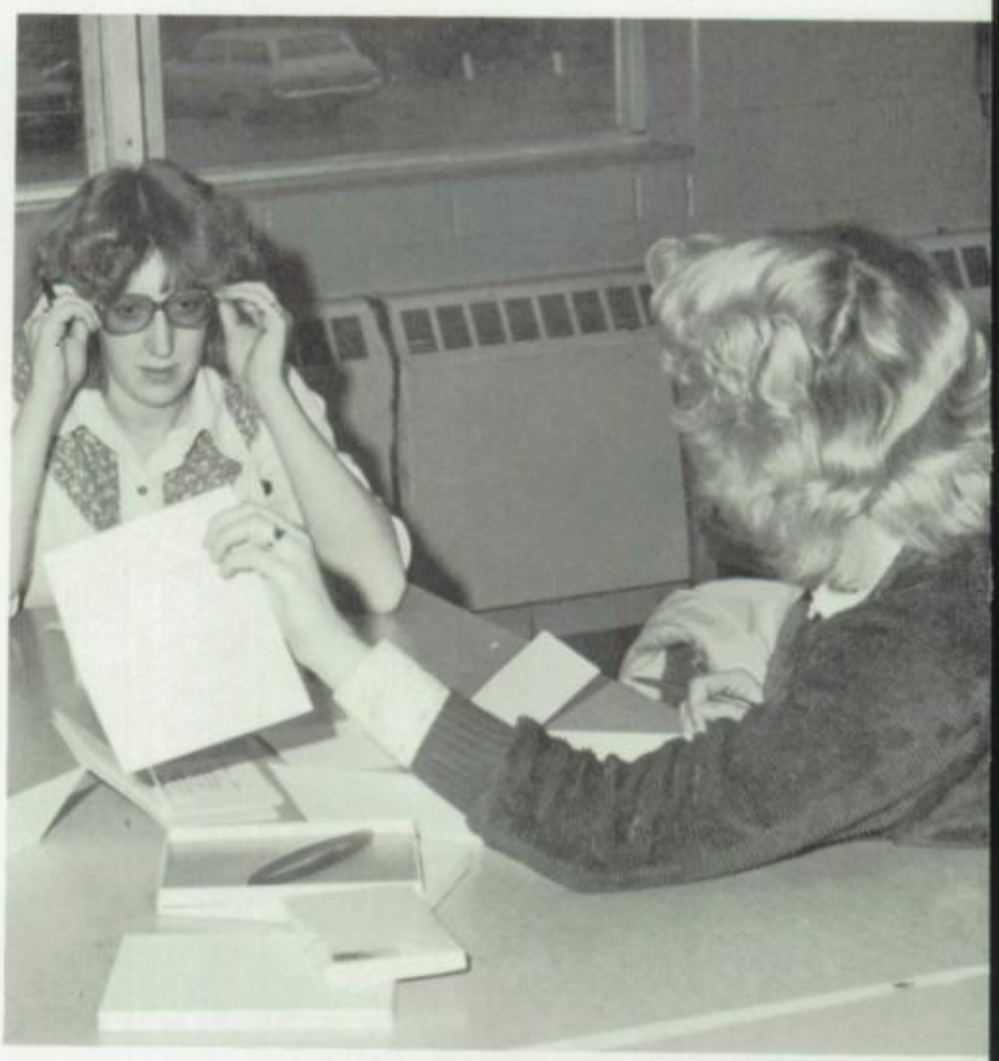


Above and clockwise: Sherry Buckles and Bob Costello relax after a big meal. Lesa Polsgrove shares a dance and a laugh with Brandon Cotton. "Crossroads" provides entertainment for the evening.

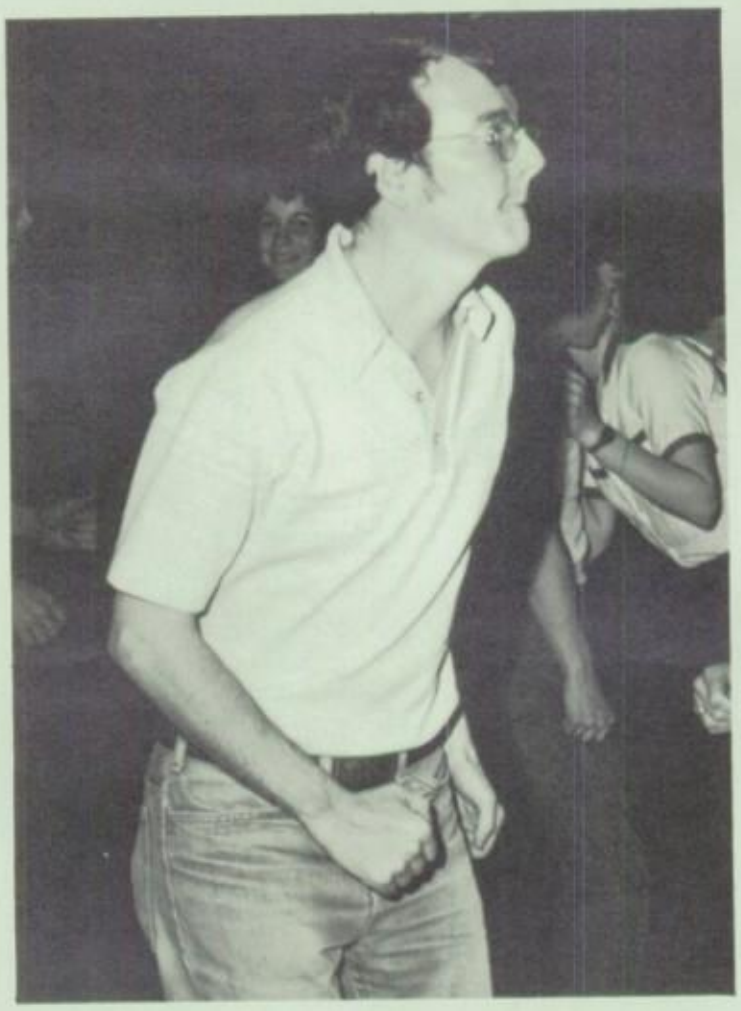
Left and clockwise: Ann Bender and Shelly Derr demonstrate how to really dance the night away. Sondra Snapp and Ronnie Greiner share a friendly conversation. Donna Reynolds and Lisa Hunziger examine their class rings. Debbie Brock receives her class ring from junior sponsors Mr. Connell and Mrs. Dannar.

Career Day Held For Seniors

Career Day is an annual event held to teach seniors about colleges, and to help them decide what field they wish to go into. Representatives from the colleges come and tell the Seniors what they have to offer. Also participating in the program are area high school seniors.



Left and clockwise: Cindy Wohlford adding figures. Mr. Connell discusses careers with the seniors. Deena Williams and Cheryl Roecker plan for the future. Hostesses for Career Day are Lynn Prussman, Brynda Cotton, Tracy Stroud, and Lesa Polsgrove.



INSTRUCTORS

Above and clockwise: Mr. Leopold tries to fly?!? Mr. Conell boogies bown at a sockhop. Mr. Buntz gives us a smile.

Dean Hall
President

Board Keeps Things Running Smoothly

Working closely with Superintendent George Munro, the Board of Education meet every month. At these meetings they review teachers contracts, deliberate appropriations, and decide on changes in curriculum. The board actively participated in graduation by presenting the graduates with their diplomas.

Lyle Derr
Vice President

Shelly receives her diploma from her father, Lyle Derr (1980-81 board president) as Irwin Sommer calls the class roll.

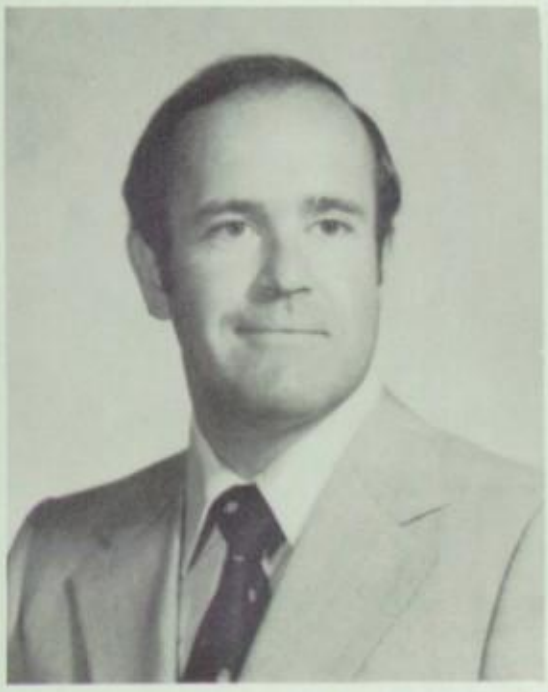
Wayne Kurtz

Chester Kunkel

Irwin Sommer

Joe Noellsch

Administration Looks Ahead



George Munro
Superintendent

Richard Brown
Principal

Mr. George Munro has been Superintendent of the South Holt R-I school for three years. He holds a B.A. degree from Memphis State University in Memphis, Tenn. He has a Master's degree from the University of Missouri-Columbia, and a Specialist degree from the University of Missouri-Columbia.

Mr. Brown returned to South Holt after being away for two years. He returned to become the secondary principal. Mr. Brown holds an M.A. in Industrial Arts and an M.A. in Secondary Administration.

Far left: Superintendent George Munro, presents Brandon Cotton with a plaque as All Around Student. Left: Principal Richard Brown presents Michel Hall the Citizenship Award.

Mrs. Ruth Kelly
Secretary to the Superintendent and the School Board

Mrs. Jane Ann Milne
Secretary to the Principal

Mrs. Shirley Jasper
Geometry
Algebra I, Algebra II
Advanced Math
Consumer Math
B.S. in Education
Missouri Valley College
Marshall, Missouri
Northwest Missouri
State University

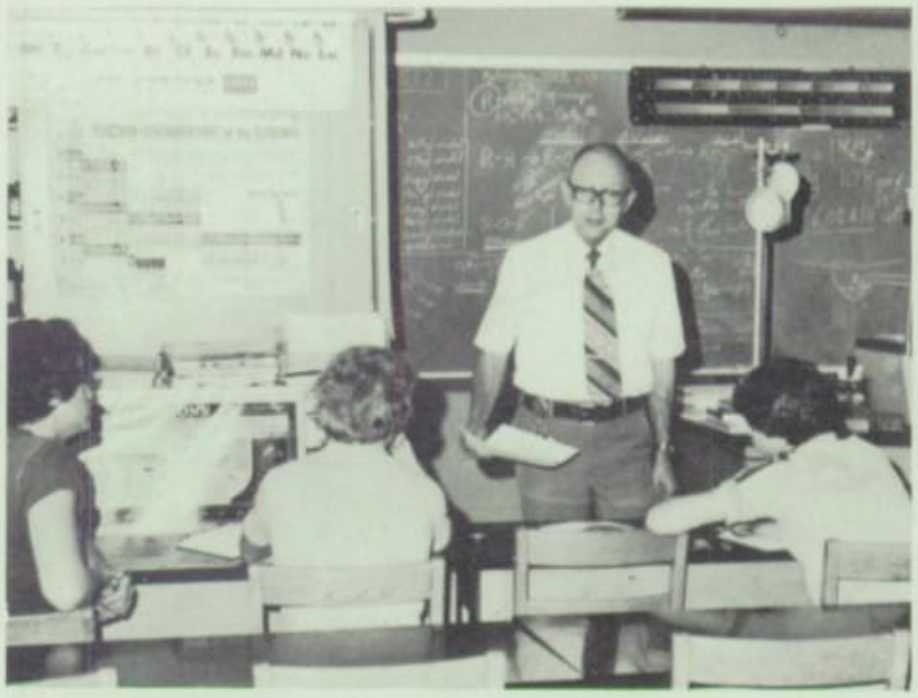
Mr. Bernard Delaney
Basic Math
B.S. in Education
Northwest Missouri
State University

Technical Knowledge Rises In Importance

In our age of computers and highly technical knowledge, science and math have increased in importance tremendously. The science department at South Holt provides information in chemistry, physics, and biology. Mathematics provides the students courses dealing with trigonometry, geometry, and algebra. These two areas of study prepare the students with the necessary and important information needed in our rapid developing future.

Above: Mrs. Jasper working hard at teaching her math class.
Right: Mr. Delaney and Amy Fitzmaurice take money at a South Holt ballgame.

Mr. Victor Buntz
Chemistry
Physics
Biology/Physical Science
CAVALIER advisor
A.B. in Chemistry and
Education
Tarkio College
Tarkio, Missouri



Above: Mr. Buntz teaches his class about Physics.

South Holt Curriculum

English
- English I
- English II
- English III
- English IV

Social Science
- American History
- Geography
- World History/American Political Systems
- Psychology/Sociology

Math
- Basic Math
- Algebra I
- Geometry
- Algebra II/Trigonometry
- Consumer Math
- Advanced Math

Science
- Physical Science
- Biology
- Physics
- Chemistry

Fine Arts
- Band
- Chorus

Art I
- Art II
- Art III
- Art IV

Home Economics
- Home Economics II
- (Semester Courses)
- Clothing
- Family Health
- Family Relations
- Child Development
- World Foods
- Home Management
- Interior Design
- Consumer Education
- Personal Culture
- Tailoring
- Family Foods
- Management Resources

Business
- General Business
- Typing I
- Accounting
- Vocational Clerical Procedures
- Shorthand

Practical Arts
- Driver Education/Health
- Composite Shop
- Drafting
- Machine Shop
- Electricity
- Small Engines/Welding
- Hillyard Technical School

Vocational Classes Offer Practical Education

The Vocational department has become a vital part of the curriculum at South Holt. The knowledge of skills in the divisions of Home Economics, Business courses, and Industrial Arts has grown tremendously.

In addition to the Vocational courses offered at South Holt, Hilliards is also offered to any junior or senior who wishes to take these offered additional courses.

Mrs. McComb assists Deena Williams with her cap.

Mr. Albert Atkins
Industrial Arts
Physical Education
B.S. in Education
Northwest Missouri
State University
Maryville, Missouri

Mr. Sam Wharton
General Shop, Welding
Drafting, Small Engines
Electricity
Varsity Wrestling Coach
B.S. in Industrial Arts
Northwt Missouri
State University
Maryville, Missouri

Mrs. Betty Ann McComb
Home Economics
Vocational Home Economics
Homemakers Education
B.S. in Secondary Education
Northwest Missouri
State University
Maryville, Missouri

Mr. Jim Carter
Typing, Accounting
General Business
Vocational Business
M.S. Business Education
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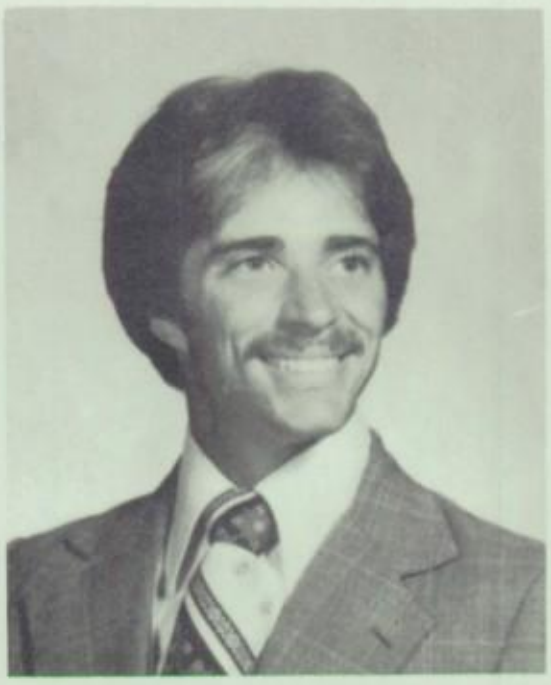
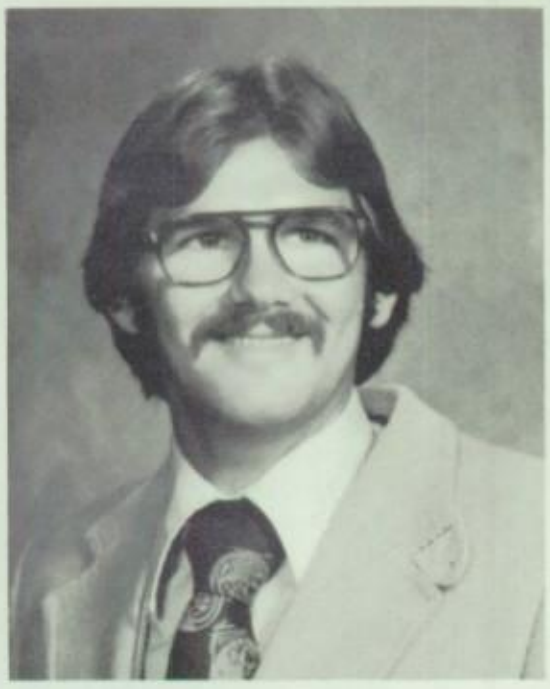


Mr. Terry Ehlers
American Political Systems/
World History
Sociology/Psychology
American History
Varsity Football Coach
B.S. in Education
Concordia Teachers College
Seward, Nebraska

Mr. Craig Barker
Health/Physical Education
Assistant Football Coach,
Boys Basketball and Track
B.S. in Education
Missouri Western
State College
St. Joseph, Missouri



Mr. Kevin Connell
Director of Guidance
Asst. Wrestling Coach
M.S. in Guidance
Northwest Missouri
State University
Maryville, Missouri

Mr. Douglas Leopold
World History/
American Political Systems
World Geography
Varsity Boys and Girls Track
B.S. in Education
Central Missouri State University
Warrensburg, Missouri

Coach Ehlers and assistant coach Barker talk over a game problem with quarterback Dennis Prussman.

Social Science Proves Informative

Social Sciences provide the students with much information in the areas of American Political Systems, World History, Sociology, Psychology, American History, and Speech.

These classes enable the individual to learn about the history of our world and America; our government, and our individual self.

Coaching Staff Leads in Physical Development

Along with the many Vocational, Fine Arts, Technical, Social Science, and Language classes, physical education played a big part throughout the year at South Holt. The coaches worked hard on teaching the individual balance, coordination, muscular and rhythmic balance. Such activities as volleyball, whiffleball, softball, square dancing, relay games, and gymnastics were participated in by the students.

Above and clockwise: Mrs. Kennon directs the concert band at the spring concert. Miss Noble speaks before leading the chorus in a number of tunes.

Mrs. Jacque Defenbaugh
Beginning Art, Advanced Art
B.A. Applied Art Education
Iowa State University
Ames, Iowa

Mrs. Vicki Kennon
Band
M.S. in Music Education
Northwest Missouri
State University
Maryville, Missouri

Miss Glenda Noble
Vocal Music
Bachelor in Music Education
Northeast Missouri
State University
Kirksville, Missouri

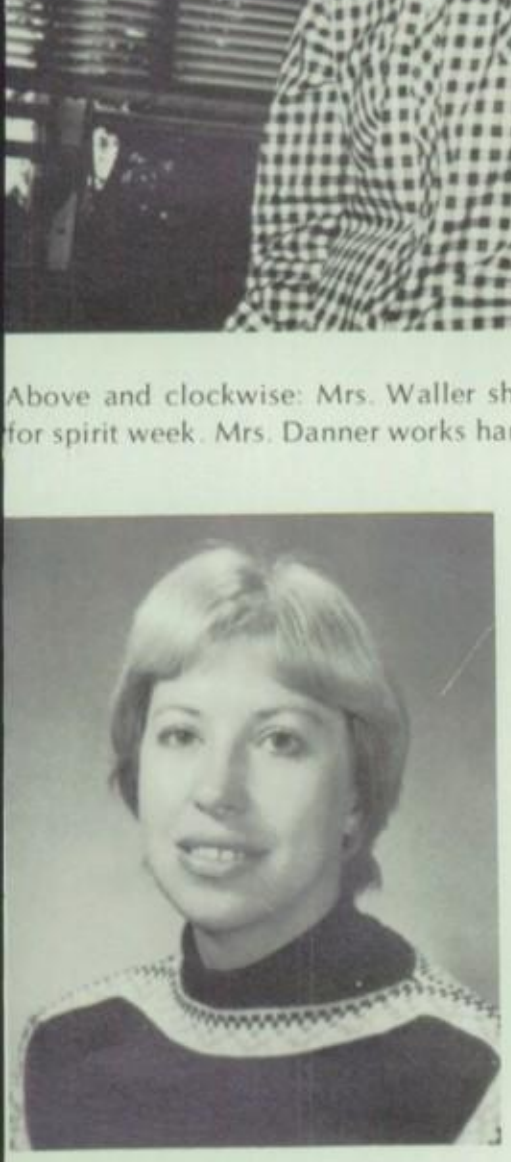
Fine Arts Encourage Cultural Growth

The importance of fine arts today is growing considerably. Schools across our nation are developing a greater appreciation for them. Through fine arts, the faculty can encourage students to express themselves freely. Whether in music or art classes, a cultural background increases a student's appreciation for the beauty of fine arts. Qualified faculty aid in the students' learning of these skills. Students then develop a talent that they are able to keep with them for numerous means of enjoyment now and in the future.

Literature Increases Self-expression

Literature increases crativity and self-expression on the individuals part. This vital area of an education deals with expression, ideas with universal interest, and form of writings. There are many categories of subject matter used by authors. Faculty assist the students in many different literary assignments, in which the library can be of great assistance.

Above and clockwise: Mrs. Waller shows school spirit by dressing up for spirit week. Mrs. Danner works hard as school librarian.



Mrs. Phyllis Dannar
Librarian
B.S. in Education
Northwest Missouri
State University
Maryville, Missouri

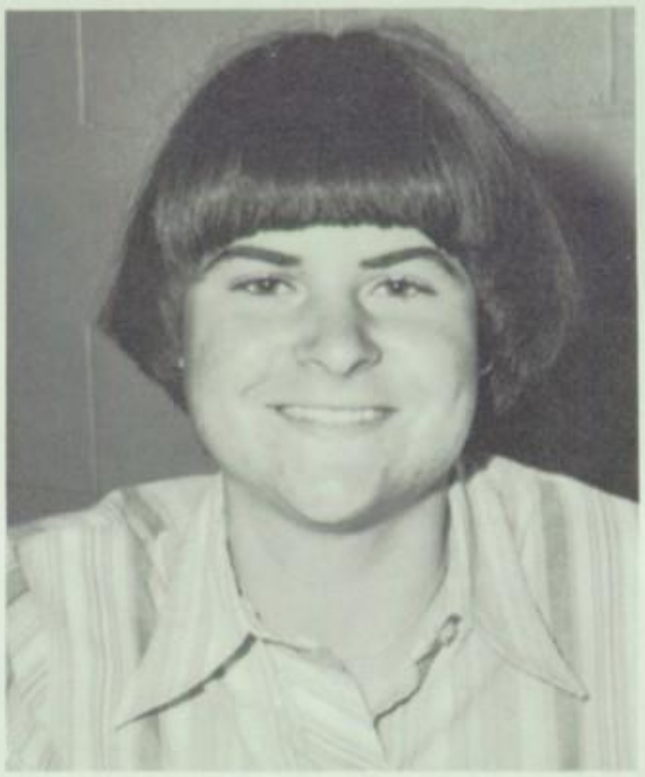
Mrs. Betty Waller
English I, English III,
College Preparation,
Journalism, KNIGHT LIFE
adviser.
Bachelor of Journalism
University of Missouri
Columbia, Missouri

Mrs. Maralee Milne
English II, Junior
and Senior High Physical
Education
B.S. in Secondary Education
and Physical Education
Tarkio College
Tarkio, Missouri

Personnel Keep Busy Behind the Scenes

The personnel was kept busy driving buses, cooking meals, and cleaning the school. They have also added three new members to their staff. In addition to last year's members, Jim Pierson, Nancy Buckles, and Sandra Collins help keep the halls clean. The entire staff deserves a vote of thanks for keeping the school clean and running smoothly.

Above and clockwise: The cooks are Pat Guyer, Irene Carroll, Mildred Adams, Betty Hays, and Alice Sommer. Irish Fitzgerald mowing the lawn. Jim Pierson dumps a load of trash. Bus drivers are Albert Atkins, Bernadine Meyer, Ronnie Kunkel, Glen Lippold, Terry Buckles, Letha Mae Gordon, and Virginia Oppenlander.



PERSONALITIES

Above and clockwise: The student council scholarship winners are Brandon Cotton, Deena Williams, David Huntsman, and Cheryl Roecker. Terri Slusher dresses like a hippie for spirit week. Ann Bender shows us her smile.

Freshmen Attend County Government Day

Each spring a county government day is held at the Holt County Court House, sponsored by the American Legion Auxillary. To prepare for the day, the freshman American history class under the direction of Mr. Ehlers planned and conducted a mock county election. The class was divided into Federalists and Nationalists.

On April third, the class and their teacher participated in the Holt County Government Day. A tour of county facilities was conducted with students participating in the offices for which they were candidates. Lunch was provided for all those attending.

Darin Crider
Kim Nowling

Tracey Scroggins
John Harvey

Leland Martin
Rhonda Hays

Rhonda Hughes
Steven Hicks

Above top: Carol Dudeck, Julie Hall, and Susie Steeby, at the freshman initiation dance. Below: Jeff Cotton on T-shirt and hat day.

Todd Kunkel
President
Ryan Radley
Vice President

Anna Book
Secretary
Dana Brunk
Treasurer

Brad Derr
Reporter
Jeff Cotton
Student Council

Susie Steeby
Student Council

To the left and clockwise: The Freshmen are ready to leave to go to the Court House for County Government Day. Freshmen participate in the initiation dance. Linda Wilson, Darin Crider, and Steven Hicks show their costumes.

Sophomores Selected for N.H.S.

Fourteen probationary members were chosen for National Honor Society. Wyle Williams was chosen for the Sophomore Pilgrimage.

Great things are expected from the Sophomore class during the next two years.

Linda Wilson
Craig Buckles
Kristin Lark
Paul Plummer
Carol Dudeck

Jeff Huntsman
Danny Weber
Elliott McClanahan
David Baker
Tracy Hurst

From left to right: Rhonda Hunziger spreading spirit through the halls. Dana Brunk, Anna Book, Brandon Cotton, fix Brad Derr's dress. Tracey Scroggins, and Rhonda Hunziger, at the freshman initiation dance.

Roy Workman
Rhonda Hunziger
Kenny Jones
(1st Semester)
Lori Cromer

Julie Hall
Kyle Carmean
Penny Kurtz
Shane McWilliams

Left and clockwise: Miss Nobel, Linda Wilson, Rhonda Hughes, Rhonda Hays, and Lori Cromer, enjoy the freshman initiation dance. Tracey Scroggins ties up the phone. Todd Kunkel and Susie Steeby, dance the night away. Todd Kunkel, parades his outfit at freshman initiation dance. Carol Dudeck, starts another school day.

Sophomores Get Involved

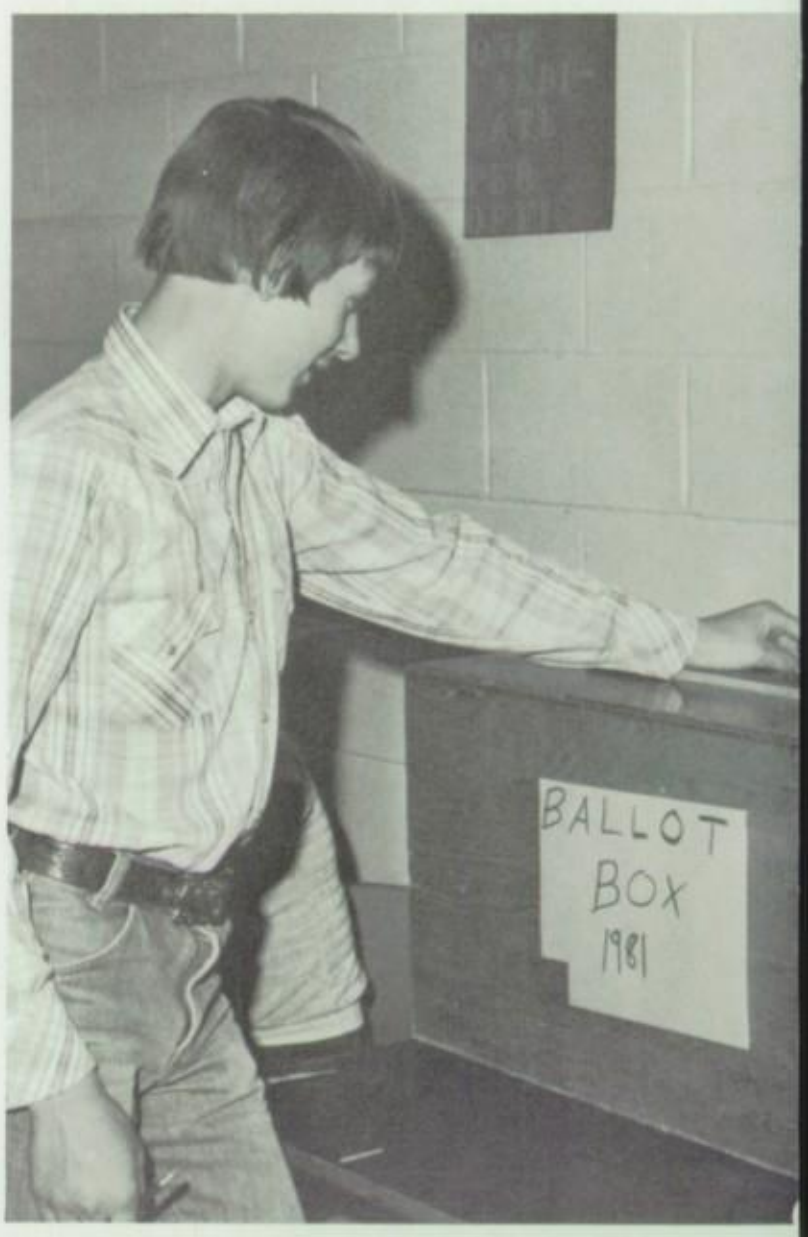
During their second year of high school, the sophomores became involved in many activities. They had the largest number of people in their class participating in sports and other extracurricular activities. They strived for excellence and achieved many goals.

Edwin Patterson
President
John Sommer
Vice President
Junior Gillenwater
Secretary

Dennis Prussman
Kirby Turner

Russell Slusher
Student Council
Sondra Snapp
Student Council

Below and clockwise: Brett DeVooght places his ballot in the box on County Government election day. Lori McWilliams threatens to throw a snowball at the camera.



Shelly Guyer
Robbie Cain

Paul Kurtz
Donna Todd

Roger Cromer
Lori McWilliams
Kirby Meyer

Joyce Moore
Alan Fansher
Amy Fitzmaurice

Steven Howell
Dorothy King

David Fuller
Patty Hunziger
Brett Derr

Cheryl Hicks
Kevin Burton
Kelly Steeby

Above and clockwise: Amy Fitzmaurice and Sherry Buckles paint a sign above the gym doors. Edwin Patterson shows his talent in playing ping pong. Richard Wilson, Edwin Patterson, Russell Slusher, and Wyle Williams are shown in front of their Homecoming display titled "Roast the Mustangs."

Kimmy David
Jeff Phelan

Brett DeVooght
Sherry Matthews

Above and clockwise: Brett Derr throwing a smile to the camera. Cheryl Hicks during flag corps practice.

Nathan Klaasmeyer
Sue Cook

Richard Wilson
Rhonda Clinkenbeard
Jeff Rayhill

Robbie Steward
Allison Plummer
Richard Green

Ray Stansbury
Lora Scroggins

Jill Glick
Gregg Delp

Wyle Williams
Sherry Buckles

Above and clockwise: Dennis Prussman sampling the punch at a dance. Steven Howell works on his art project. Wyle Williams and Jill Glick put on the added touch to their sophomore spirit poster.

Juniors Enjoy Participating

The '81 junior class was very active in scol activities and showed a great deal of spirit and enthusiasm. The class took first place with their homecoming display and were very busy working for a successful year.

They were still as spunky and onery as the year before but it added a lot just being a junior to make the year more enjoyable.

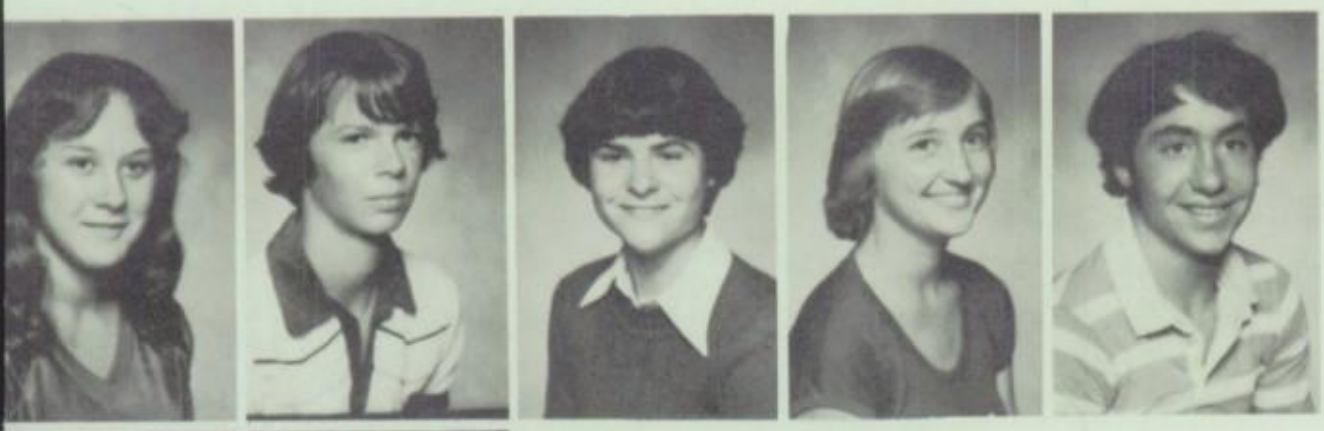
Debbie Brock
Rodney Lincoln

Gary Roberts
Angela Matthews

Tammie Cain
Bradley Kurtz

Rick Dozier
Gwen Lovelady

Above and clockwise: Angie Steeby shows her spirit by dressing up on cowboy and indian day. The junior girls get together for one of their more serious pictures. Rodney Lincoln working hard on the SCAT test.



Donna Reynolds - President
Ronnie Greiner - Vice President
Ann Bender - Secretary
Joan Snapp - Treasurer
John Field - Reporter

Todd Sipes - Student Council
Lesa Polsgrove - Student Council

Juniors Benefit from Hard Work

The juniors put a lot of effort into their work. They participated in many activities to raise money for the Prom. These included working in concession stands, sponsoring a sock hop, and having a skating party. The activities also helped break the monotony that school life can sometimes fall into.

Nearing the end of the school year the juniors began preparing themselves for the year ahead. All eager to be the senior class of 1982.

Left and clockwise: Ronnie Greiner reads to his contemporary issues class. Gary Roberts laying back and taking it easy. John Field, Todd Sipes, and Gwen Lovelady look over the selection of class rings. Presidential candidate Bradley Kurtz giving his campaign speech to the student body.

Teresa Ushlin
David Cotton
Georgi Derr
Lori Moore

Angie Steeby
Deanna Delp
Gregg Swoboda
Brynda Cotton

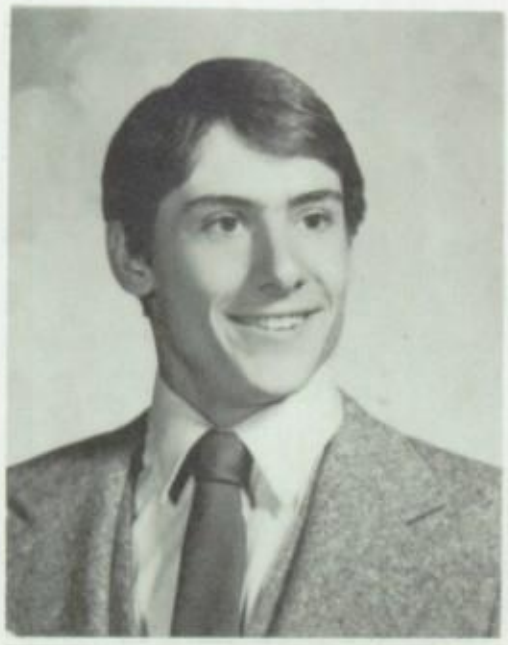
Kerry Atkins
Stanley Quick

Gary Fuller
Teresa David

Lynn Prussman
Monty Scroggins

Lisa Hunziger
Tracy Stroud

Not shown:
Jeff Benedict
Julie Carson
Robbie Howell



Brandon Cotton
Student Council President

Deena Williams
Student Council Vice President
Class Vice President

David Huntsman
Student Council

Lisa Boswell
Student Council

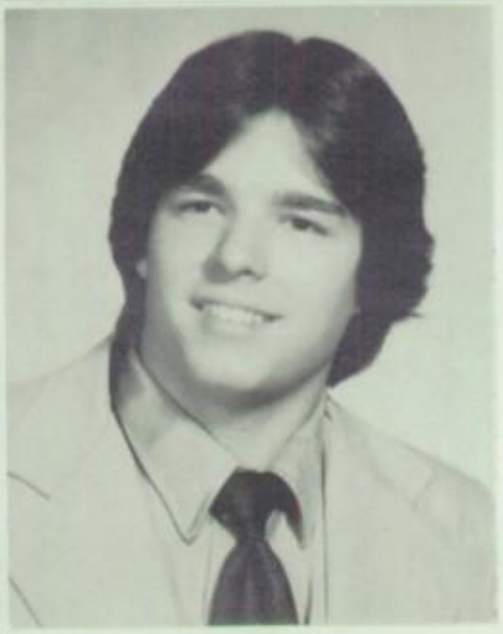
Graduates Look to the Future

The members of the graduating class look t
the future with confidence. They have been teste
and counseled by the guidance department an
passed many tests over information of all kind
They have chosen a course of action—college,
trade school, or an immediate job. Prepared a
with an eye to the future they will take their pla
in society with confidence.

Kelly Kurtz
President

Shelly Derr
Secretary

Debbie Patterson
Treasurer



Pat McWilliams
Reporter

Left and Clockwise: Michel Hall, Lori Hunziger, and Debbie Patterson practice their flute trio for contest. Brandon Cotton shows school spirit by dressing up for spirit week. Kelly Atkins and Deena Williams keep stats for a football game. Senior members of the National Honor Society.

Seniors Enjoy Western Breakfast

The seniors last day of school started at 7:00 a.m. for a western style breakfast prepared by their mothers. The mothers put on old-fashioned bonnets and served a breakfast consisting of cinnamon rolls, hot chocolate, and orange juice.

The utensils that were used to eat with fitted right in with the western theme. Each senior ate from tin plates and drank from tin cups and glass jars. Also found around each place setting was a sack of rock candy and chocolate coins and a bandana.

The mothers made two huge posters for the class. These were to place on the sides of the bus for their trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Pat Slusher spoke to the class and presented each of them with a keepsake. Following this, the class proceeded to the gym to practice for the graduation exercises.

Robert Costello

Michel Hall

Tom Hays

Top and bottom: Seniors enjoying the breakfast given by their mothers. All the seniors stand ready to run to their cars at the sound of the last bell.

Curtis Hall

Cheryl Roecker

Rick Stansbury

Below and clockwise: Debbie Patterson and Lori Hunziger work on their clerical procedures assignment. Cheryl Roecker and Robert Costello rush to put on their shoes in a race between the boys and girls basketball teams. Rick Stansbury washes dishes at the senior chili supper.

Tana Hensley

Fred Cromer

Terri Slusher

Seniors Prepare for Graduation

At the beginning of the year the seniors had a class meeting in which they voted on what graduation announcements they wanted. They also ordered their senior keys at this time.

Closer to the end of the school year every senior went into the office to be measured for a cap and gown. When this was done all that was left to do was wait for the big day to arrive.

Top to bottom: Tana Hensley poses for her senior picture. Shelly Derr puts the finishing touches on her tole painting.

Left and below: Brandon Cotton and Cheryl Roecker do research in the library. Lisa Boswell, Debbie Patterson, and Margaret Pilkington relax in the lounge.

Tina Elder
Jamie Swoboda
Beverly Gillenwater Hurst

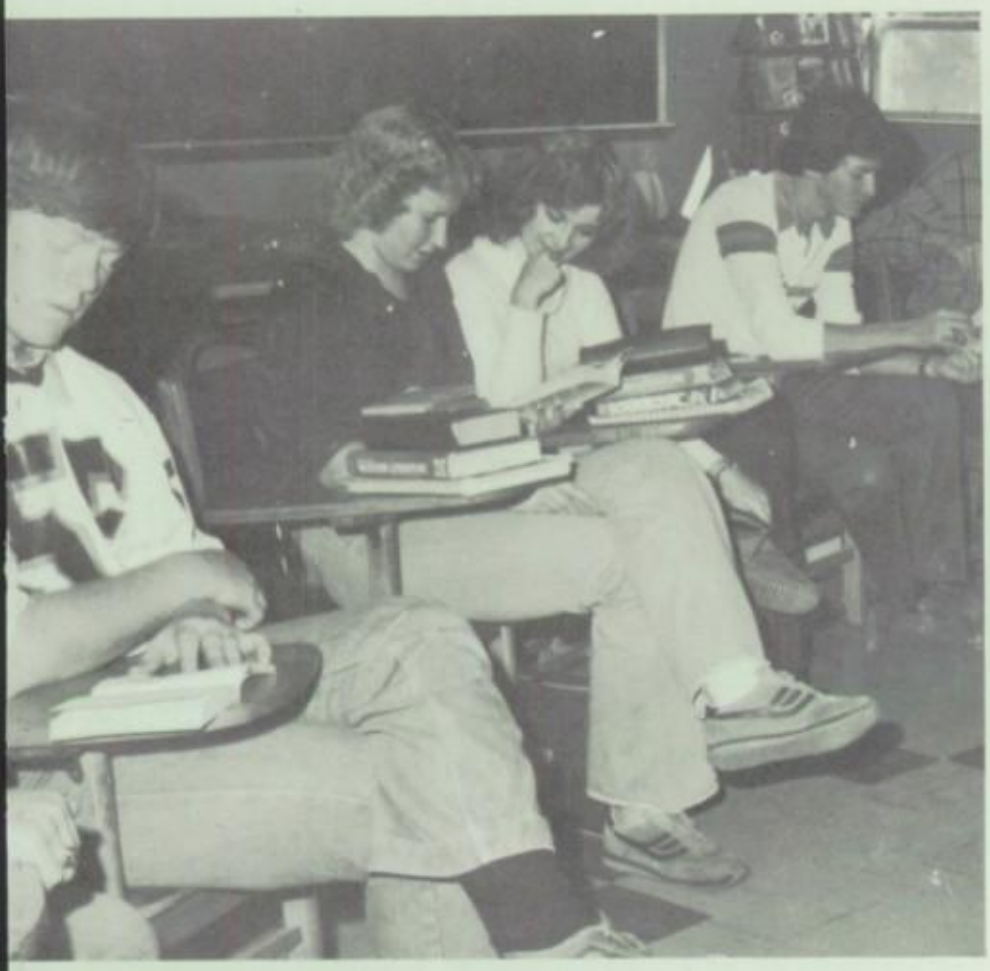
Lori Hunziger
Tom Kreek

Seniors Keep Busy

The seniors found out that besides the usual activities there were many other things that had to be done. They held two chili suppers, bake sales, and concession stands. They also did outside work such as picking up corn and clearing fields of debris. All of these activities took a lot of hard work, but they all turned out to be successful.

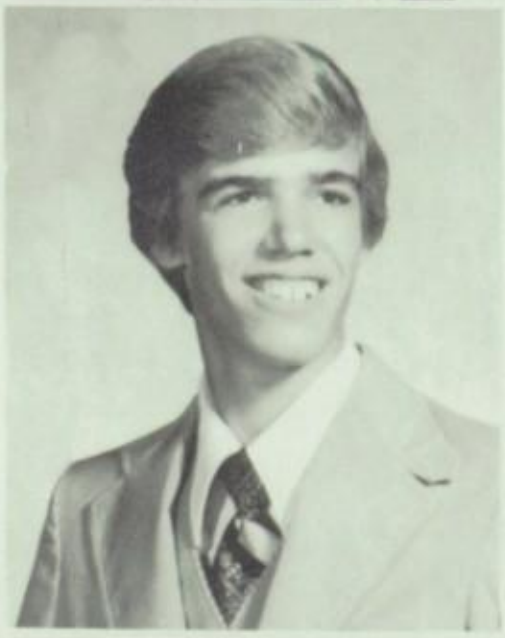
Cindy Schaeffer Wohlford

Above and right: Patrick McWilliams works to finish the school newspaper on time. Terri Slusher and Deena Williams pose for a picture on Career Day.



Above and clockwise: Lisa Boswell and Debbie Patterson are acting crazy as usual. Mrs. Waller's College Prep class keeps busy. Brandon Cotton has a "Snicker Attack" in the lounge.

Kelly Atkins



Mark Dudeck

Margaret Pilkington

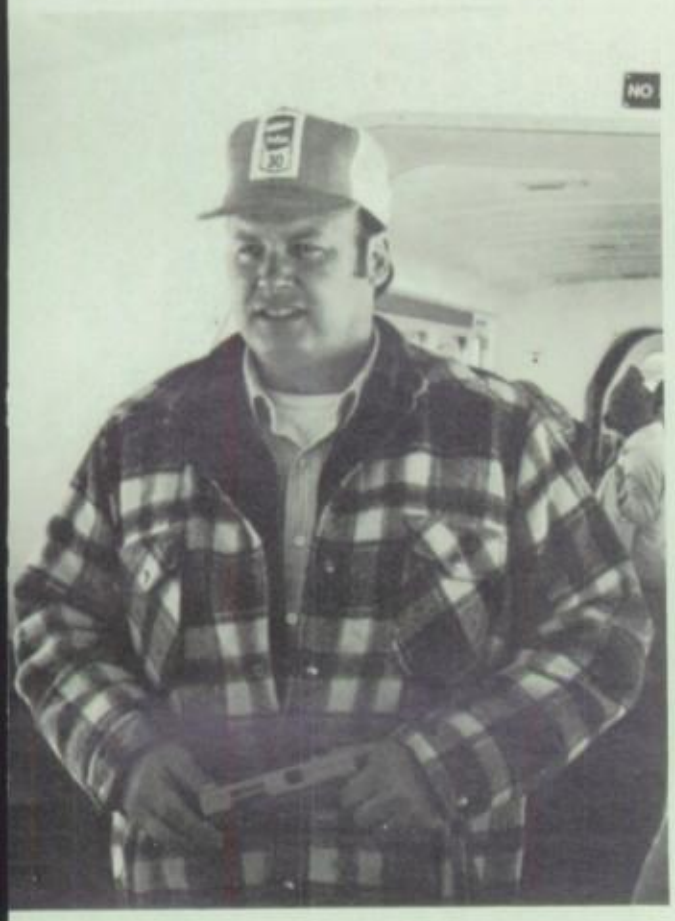
In Memoriam

EVER CLOSE IN MIND AND HEART

No further away than a picture,
A smile or remembered phrase,
Our loved ones live in memory-
So close in so many ways.
For how often does a sunset
Bring nostalgic thoughts to mind
Of moments that our loved ones shared
In days now left behind!
How often has a flower
Or a crystal autumn sky
Brought golden recollections
Of happy days gone by!
Yes, memory has a magic way
Of keeping loved ones near-
Ever close in mind and heart
Are the ones we hold most dear.

MARJORIE FRANCES AMES

THERESA KAY (TERRI) SLUSHER



Senior Trip Taken in Colorado

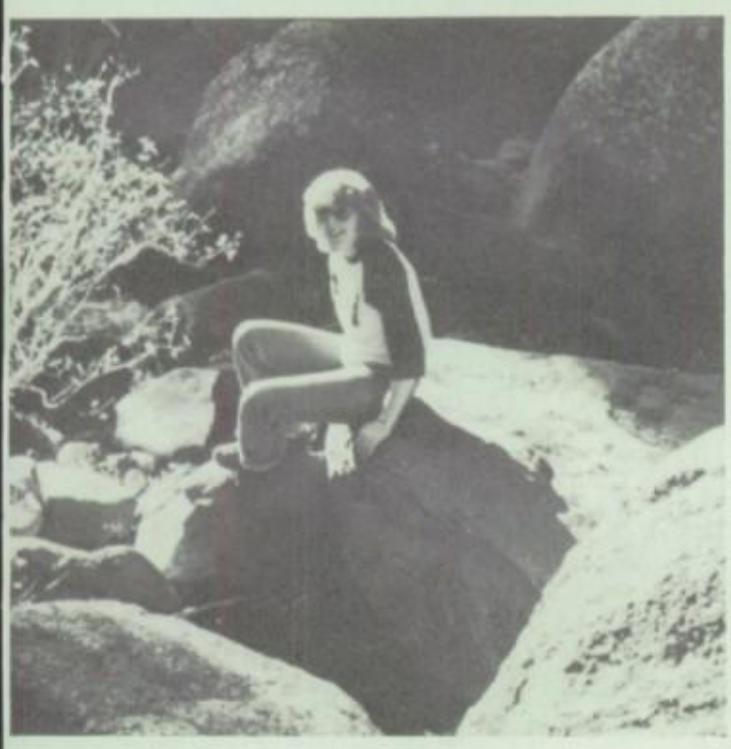
The Class of 1981 traveled to Colorado to enjoy their senior trip. Twenty seniors and four sponsors boarded a school bus the evening of May 9th ready to ride all night and arrive in Colorado Springs 12 hours later. Even though little sleep was obtained during the night, the next day was a busy one.

Below and clockwise: Mrs. Jasper enjoys the bus ride. Seniors walking across the Royal Gorge Bridge. Everyone relaxes on the way back down Pikes Peak. Mr. Brown counts to make sure no one fell off the mountain. Kelly Kurtz has a serious moment.

Above and clockwise: Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Jasper travel incognito through the hotel in Denver. A few seniors standing on a mountain. After throwing ice in the boys' hotel room, Debbie Patterson, Tina Elder, and Cheryl Roecker make a quick get away. A mountain view near Pikes Peak.

Seniors View Colorado Rockies

Upon arriving in Colorado, after what seemed an endless ride, the seniors enjoyed such sites as Pikes Peak, Royal Gorge, Cave of the Winds, Garden of the Gods, and the Cheyenne Mountain Zoo. Later, on the road to Denver, a stop was made at the U.S. Air Force Academy. In Denver, the group toured the Denver Mint, the Coors Brewery, and shopped at Cinderella City. They visited Central City, an old mining town, and finally before starting home, everyone ate at Casa Benitos, a fancy Mexican restaurant.



Above: The Senior Class before leaving for Colorado. Left: Deena Williams sits on a rock in the stream.

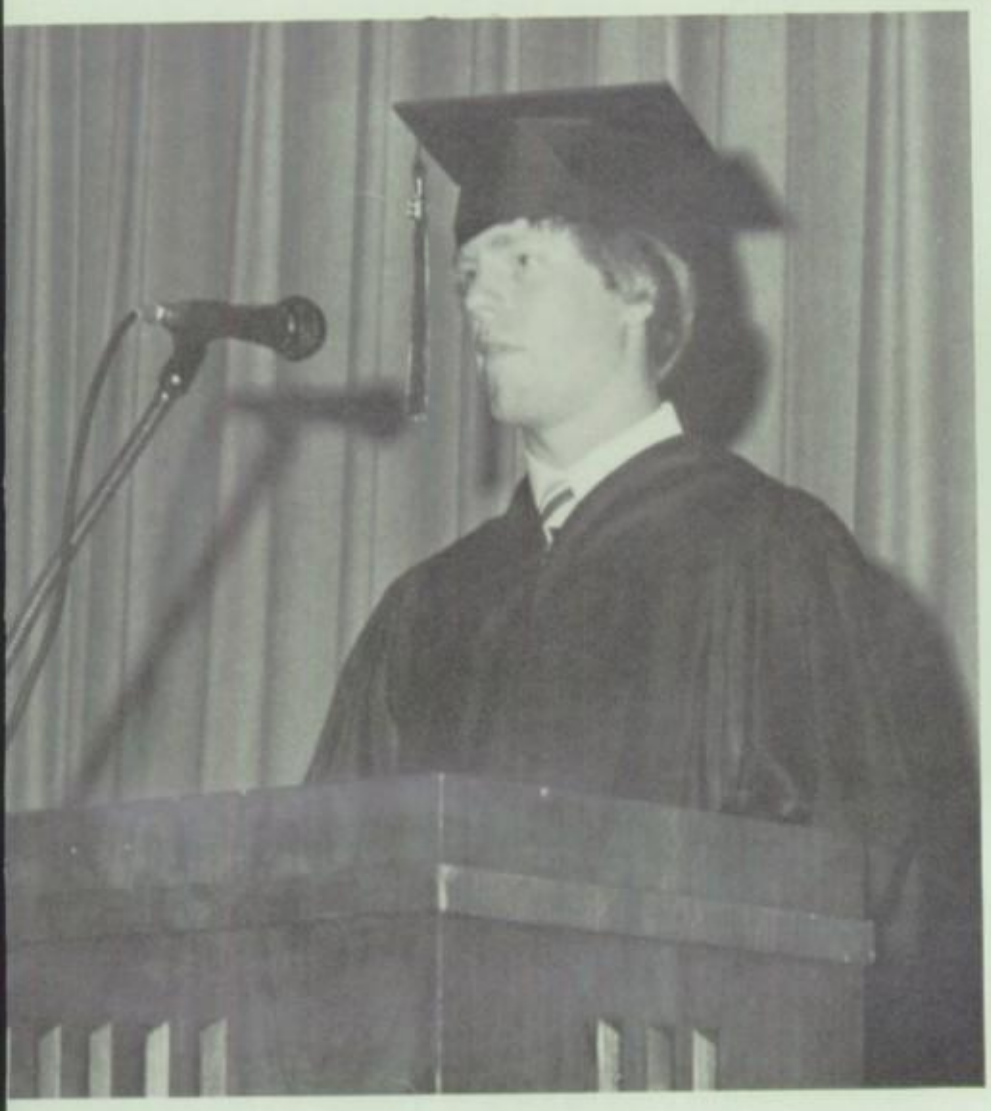
Seniors Graduate With Twenty-five

Seniors begin their final year of school together with thoughts of graduation night. It only becomes a reality when the caps and gowns are all being put on. Then when looking back through all of the school years together, time seems so short and all the dear memories rush through the minds of many. Taking that long and final walk together for the last time brings the realization that there is no turning back. The future lies ahead of each senior and it's their responsibility to look at life positively, set goals, and take action to achieve those goals.

On May 14, 1981, the graduating class took that final step. Marching in to *Pomp and Circumstance,* played by Miss Glenda Noble, they realized what an accomplishment they had achieved. The senior choir then sang *It's Time For Movin' On*. Rev. W. A. Harris, of the Baptist Church, gave the baccalaureate sermon and then Principal Richard Brown presented the scholarships and awards. Giving the senior address was Kelly Kurtz, senior class president. The brass sextet performed the arrangement *Trumpet Tune and Air*. Dr. Charles Schultz, Director of the Department of Theatre at Northwest Missouri State University, delivered the commencement address. The Board of Education proceeded to present the seniors with their diplomas. To the right of the platform, a memorial was set up in memory of Theresa K. Slusher, who passed away February 20, 1981.

Graduation was a big stepping stone for the seniors. Now the future is theirs, and life is just beginning.

Above and clockwise: The senior choir performs *"It's Time For Movin' On."* Dr. Charles Schultz, chairman of the Department of Theatre at Northwest Missouri State University, delivered the commencement message. The 1980-81 South Holt Graduating class stands together as a whole for the last time.



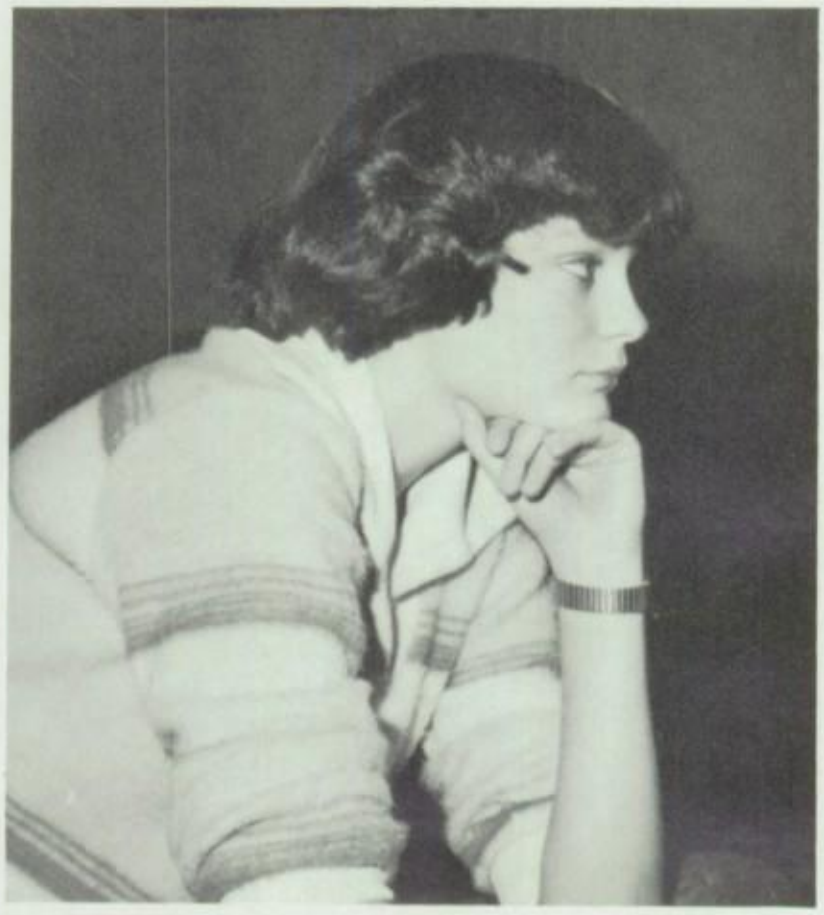
Left and clockwise: Addressing the graduating class is Kelly Kurtz, senior class president. Rick Stansbury receives his diploma. Brass sextet entertains by performing *"Trumpet Tune and Air."* Five minutes to go. Lesa Polsgrove and Ronnie Griener, junior class ushers, escort the senior class.

Below and clockwise: Cindy Wohlford chows down at the senior chili supper. David Huntsman and Curtis Hall discuss the yearbook during a staff meeting. The South Holt band marches in the Autumn Festival parade.

Experiences that occupy but a moment

build memories that last forever.

Below and clockwise: Freshmen Paul Plummer, Rhonda Hunziger, Susie Steeby, and Carol Dudeck work at the election table during County Government Day elections. Lesa Polsgrove and Angie Mathews work hard on the KNIGHT LIFE. Anna Book and Shelly Derr pose for an outdoor picture. Mr. Connell and Mrs. Dannar present Lynn Prussman with her class ring. Bradley Kurtz and Brandon Cotton work in the Lettermen's Club concession stand.



As the 1980-81 school year closes, we hope we have caught some of the experiences that make up your memories. Even though we are parting, some of us for a summer and some of us for an eternity, we will always have these memories to look back on. We can leaf through this book and remember all of the hard work, the long hours, and all of the fun. We hope we have given you something to carry from the past into the future.

The Staff